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AMERICAN SLAIN BY OBREGON'S SOLDIERS

Muscle Shoals Has All Night Celebration

Ladies Call City Beautification Mass Meeting

Ford Refuses To Comment After Measure Is Passed

DETROIT, Mich., March 11.—Henry Ford today declared he preferred not to make any comment on the victory of the McKenzie Buscle Shoals bill in the House.

The automobile manufacturer indicated that he probably would have nothing to say until the bill has been acted upon by the Senate.

Any announcement of his plans now, he feels, would be premature.

FLORENCE, Ala., March 11.—A celebration here which lasted throughout the night greeted the news that the House of Representatives had approved the offer of Henry Ford for Muscle Shoals.

"Ford is coming," was the message flashed up and down the Tennessee Valley and started the celebration in Florence, Decatur, Sheffield and Huntsville.

During the long debate on the McKenzie bill which turns the Shoals over to Ford, the people living in the valley, fille dthe newspaper offices, waiting and hoping for news of favorable action.

Every one was confident that the coming of Ford to Florence would change the quite little Alabama town into a humming industrial center, would bring wealth, business and prosperity to the community. Everyone was smiling and optimistic.

Extra Features To Be Heard At Band Entertainm't

Miss Dorothy DuMars from Houston, exceptional singer and piano player, will make the annual spring tour with the Longhorn Band and Premier Entertainers, March 18 to 25. Contracts have been signed for the University organization to appear in Mexia on March 21tr at the Opera House, where Miss DuMars will be one of the special features on the program.

Miss DuMars with Jay Bird Thomas of Austin, the wonderful boy singer only thirteen years of age, never failed to bring down the house with their delightful play "One Wonderful Night" which was presented on the last tour.

Before coming to the University, Miss DuMars had several years experience on the stage. She is a musician of unusual ability, and had appeared in concert give nat the University and at other schools.

Jay Bird Thomas, who played opposite Miss DuMars on the program last year, gained fame two years ago when the young singer was carried to Washington and San Francisco by the Aloha Shriners. For three years, the charms of Miss DuMars highly versatile nature and the singing of the boy have appeared the audience where ever the Varsity organization has shown.

One Killed; Four Hurt In Wreck

BURLINGTON, Vermont, March 11—One was killed and a score were injured when five cars of the Boston-Montreal Express, traveling over the Central Vermont Railroad, left the tracks near here. The coaches left the track and fell into a swamp. A relief train brought the injured to hospitals at Burlington.

TELLS OF ATTACK ON LINER.

WALTER T. CANDLER & MRS. CLYDE BYFIELD.

The trial of the $100,000 suit against Walter T. Candler, son of the multi-millionaire coca cola king, of Atlanta, Ga., brought by the beautiful Mrs. Clyde K. Byfield, is under way in Decatur, Ga. The suit grew out of a trip across the ocean on the liner Berengaria, taken by Mrs. Byfield and her husband and Candler and his two children. Mrs. Byfield told the jury she had been attacked in her stateroom by Candler.

Groesbeck Girl Is To Be On Beauty Pages of Cactus

AUSTIN, Texas, March 11.—After the first elimination thirty of the prettiest girls of the University of Texas are now eligible for selection as Bluebonnet Belles in the beauty section of the 1921 Cactus, yearbook of the school. There were 75 girls originally selected by the co-eds themselves voting on the various dormitory and sorority groups. The Cactus editors limited the number to thirty, and from the photographs submitted the final selection will be made by an impartial authority.

The thirty girls chosen are the following: Aline Burns, Gamma Phi Beta, of Austin; Josephine Bennett, Alpha Phi, of Austin; Helen Files, Chi Omega, of Shreveport, La.; Gertrude Murray, Delta Delta Delta and Scottish Rite dormitory, of Floresville; Natalie Werner, Chi Omega, of Palestine; Judith Porter, Phi Mu, of Dallas; Mary Frances McAskill, Alpha Delta Pi, of San Antonio; Mae Glidden, Zeta Tau Alpha, of Austin; Jane Seiser, Kappa Kappa Gamma, of San Antonio; Dorothy Mansell, Kappa Alpha Theta, of Austin; Elizabeth Smith Kappa Delta, of Austin; Marion Ball, P. Beta Phi, of San Antonio; Eloise Carr, Kappa Kappa Gamma, of San Antonio; Margaret Miller, Delta Delta of Austin; Frances Kinball, Kappa Kappa Gamma, of Palestine; Emily Anderson, Scottish Rite dormitory, of Goldthwaite; Elsa Erler, Gamma Phi Beta, of San Antonio; Eleanor Thompson, Alpha Phi and Woman's building, of Witchita Falls; Hazel Bennett, Chi Omega, of Dallas; Josephine Hodgson Kappa Kappa Gamma, of Fort Worth; Simona Wofford, Phi Beta Phi, of San Antonio; Johnnie Lee Noble, Woman's building, of Palestine; Agnes Terrell, Pi eBta Phi, of San Antonio; Rosamond Blackman, Scottish Rite dormitory, of Groesbeck; Marion Bone, Pi Beta Phi, of Beaumont; Zeita Alonso, Pi Beta Phi, of Austin; Martha Horton, Grace Hall, of Northville, Mich.; Martha Ann Robertson, Newman Hall, of San Antonio, Stella Slade, Kappa Alpha Theta, of Dallas.

GAINESVILLE, Texas, March 11.—Mrs. L. R. Fuller is in a critical condition at a local hospital after giving birth to triplets. The infants, a six-pound boy and two girls weighing five pounds each, are howling and healthy. The woman's husband is a bricklayer.

A. E. Payne of Corsicana was in the city Sunday.

Chicagoans Favor Modification Of The Volstead Act

CHICAGO, March, 11.—A complete tabulation of the votes cast in the Radio poll on prohibition here showed that thirty-four thousand one hundred and eighty persons favored modification of the Volstead law and twelve thousand four hundred and eighty-three opposed the modification. Persons from all sections of the United States voted and Radio officials announced that every state gave a majority for the modification.

DALLAS, Texas, March 11.—Two persons were shot by the same bullet when R. Haught, cleaning his pistol, accidentally fired the gun. Leona Blair was shot in the right ankle. Passing through, the bullet hit J. B. Jones in the left thigh. Both are expected to recover.

Neff Is Asked To Seek Aid Of The U.S.

AUSTIN, March 11.—A report that E. C. Stephens, an American citizen, was slain by Mexican Government troops near Parral, Mexico, on March 9th, was received here today by Governor Neff. Neff said that he received a telegram from a Texan residing at Parral stating that Stephens was killed and appealing that the Governor urge the Federal Government to take steps to protect Americans in Mexico from Mexican Government troops as well as bandits.

Oil Committee Probes Fall's Private Mail

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The Senate Oil Committee searched thru a new batch of telegrams in executive session today, tracing additional facts to show the ramifilations of the Albert B. Fall relations and other principals in the oil scandals. The committee studied the messages which passed between Fall and his associates while Fall was at his ranch at Three Rivers, New Mexico. The messages included those addressed to Harry F. Sinclair, J. W. Zevely, H. M. Blackmer President of the Midwest Refining Company, and Robert Stewart, President of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Murphy of Houston spent Monday in Mexia, on their way to Fort Worth to attend the fat stock show. Mr. Murphy is vice president and general manager of the Farrar Lumber company.

W. P. Stewart of Forest Glade community, one of the most enterprising and successful farmers of this community, was a pleasant visitor to The Mexia News today, renewing his subscription for another year.

Prof. J. W. Reid of Canyon, former principal of the Mexia school, visited the family of Judge W. M. White here Sunday.

CHOSEN WELLESLEY'S PRETTIEST GIRL.

Miss Genevieve Smith

Miss Genevieve Smith, of Detroit, Mich., has been selected as the prettiest senior student in Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., and will lead the Tree Day exercises there.

Brookhart Asks Broader Powers

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Senator Brookhart today asked the Senate to broaden the powers of the Daugherty investigating committee by permitting its members to go anywhere in the United States to issue subpoenas and take testimony. He introduced a resolution to this effect.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—"Good bye and God Bless You." Secretary of Navy Denby told employees in the naval department when he left office and retired to private life. The message was broadcast to every ship at sea and to all American naval stations throughout the world.

Two Killed When Car Is Hit By Frisco Passenger

ATLUS, Ok., March 11.—Two persons wer ikilled and four injured two seriously when a Frisco passenger train demolished their automobile at a grade crossing near here late yesterday.

The dead:

Mrs. W. W. Wallace, 50, and a six months old infant.

The injured:

W. W. Wallace, 50, husband of the dead woman; Willard Wallace, 25, Mrs. Willard Wallace, 19, and their 5 year old son. All were from Altus.

President Urges 25 Per Cent Cut In Income Taxes

WASHINGTON, March 11.—President Coolidge sent Congress a message urging the immediate adoption of the resolution for twenty-five percent reduction in 1923 income taxes payable this year. The adoption of the resolution is believed impossible by congressional leaders because of widespread opposition from Democrats and some Republicans.

TODAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

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Station WBB, Atlanta (429 meters) 8 ot 11:45 p.m. (G. S. T.) Annual ball and celebration of the Atlanta Federation of Musicians.

KGO, Oakland, Cal., (312 meters) 8 p. m. (Pacific Coast Standard Time) Radio drama, "The Intimate Strangers," by Booth Tarkington.

WJX, New York (455 meters) 8:30 p. m. (E. S. T.) Concert of the American Orchestral Society.

WGY, Schenectady (380 meters) 7:45 p. m. (E. S. T.) Minstrel show by the Georgia Minstrel Boys.

WDAF, Kansas City (411 mettrs) 11:45 p. m. (C. S. T.) The Knight Hawk Frolic for early morning radio fans.

All The Ladies Of Mexia Are Invited To Gathering

The Federation Committee of the Ladies Friday club has called a mass meeting of all ladies of the city to gather at the Mexia Public Library Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

The purpose of the meeting will be to lay plans for a general Mexia wide campaign of city beautification.

The District meeting of Federated Women's clubs will meet in Mexia the 3rd of April and the ladies of the Friday club are vary anxious that the city show up to the best advantage on the dates when women and leaders in club work all over the state will gather here in their annual district meeting.

The meeting is to be held at 4:00 o'clock and all the ladies of the city, whether members of any clubs or not, are urged to be present. The results will not only prove beneficial in beautifying Mexia but will serve to make it a healthier and better place in which to live and grow.

NEW SECRETARY OF THE NAVY EN ROUTE TO CAPITOL

By A. L. BRADFORD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The new secretary of the navy—whoever he may be—is reported enroute to Washington today for a conference with President coolidge.

The President is said to have made up his own mind, but there has been no final decision because the offer has not yet been finally made or accepted.

The two men whose names are now most prominently mentioned in the gossip are Governor Joseph M. Dixon of Montana and Curtis Dwight Wilbur, chief justice of the California Supreme Court and a graduate of the United States Naval Academy.

Identity of Man Found Dead At Teague Unknown

TEAGUE, Texas, March 11.—Authorities today had not yet definitely identified the body of a man about 50 years old who was found dead in the T. & B. V. freight depot here yesterday.

A small Testament with the name T. H. Prindle, was found on the body. On the inside coat pocket and the belt buckle were the initials L. B. D.

The man was shabbily dressed and evidently in straitened circumstances. Death was from natural causes.

CAR OWNER HAS TIRE STOLEN DURING SERMON ON TEXT ON STEALING

LUFKIN, Texas, March 11.—As Rev. E. F. Adams expounded his text "Thou Shalt Not Steal," a thief removed a new tire and motormeter from the car of a member of the congregation.

J. D. Hunt, of Waco was a Mexia visitor Sunday.

R. L. Maddox is in Western Texas this week on a business and pleasure mission.

Two Farmers Killed In Accidents Same Day In Colorado, Texas

COLORADO, Texas, March 11.—Two farmers were accidentally killed here today. C. B. Sterling was killed when the automobile which he was driving crashed through the railing of the Colorado Bridge and toppled over the embankment. W. H. Porter was killed when he fell from the top of a load of feed which he was hauling to town and struck the pavement breaking his neck.

WATCH MEXIA GROW

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Prickett are happy today because of the arrival at 7:30 a. m. Monday a fine 8½ pound baby boy. Congratulations are generously extended.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight increasing cloudiness. Wednesday warmer with unsettled conditions and local rains. Warmer in the east portion.

West Texas—Tonight and Wednesday unsettled. Probably rain in the southeast and rain or snow in the north. Warmer tonight.

Mrs. Rome Rust will entertain the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home this week.

Mutiny Of Irish Reported General

DUBLIN, March 11.—The mutiny of the Irish army is general according to advices received here. The big barracks at Tipperary have been deserted by officers and men who decamped with rifles and ammunition.

Ministers of Commerce and Industry McGrath has resigned because of dissatisfaction with the Government's plany of army organization, it is reported.

PARIS, Texas, March 11.—Mattie Alexander, negro woman, was shot and killed here by Sterling Stephenson, negro, who then tried to kill himself. The first bullet glanced off his head, and a second missed its mark. He is held in local jail charged with murder.

NEW YORK, March 11.—E. L. Doheny in denying that he aided a revolution in Mexico, said he loaned the Obregon government five million dollars "which enabled it to put down the revolt."

Exoneration Or Expulsion Asked

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Exoneration or expulsion from the House was demanded by Representative Zihlman, of Maryland, whose name was mentioned in connection with charges against two Congressmen recently before the Chicago Grand Jury. "The House should either exonerate me or expell me," Zihlman said while his colleagues cheered. He spoke against the Judiciary Committee's resolution to turn the whole matter over to Attorney General Daugherty.

DALLAS, Texas, March 11.—Sam Fowlkes secretary of the Retail Merchants' association of Dallas, has been made district governor of District Eight, including Oklahoma, Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana.

SPUR, Texas, March 11.—The Spur Inn, picturesque Texas hostelry, was levelled by fire of undetermined origin. The loss was approximately $50,000.

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UNION LABEL

LET'S HEAR FROM THE CANDIDATES

Within the next few days, Mexia citizens will go to the polls and vote on fifteen citizens to form a charter commission to frame a charter for the City of Mexia. There are thirty names on the list to be voted on. Some are ladies. The others are gentlemen. Their selection will be for a purpose. That purpose will be to draft the charter for the acceptance or rejection of the voters of Mexia. ThTe supposition is that some of those named to be voted on do not favor a new charter.

If that is the case, then the public should know about it at the very outset.

That being true and also since the public has a right to be informed as to the principles held in mind by the candidates, and also since the time for filing new names is past, it would be well for the respective individuals, as a group or individually, to state frankly their attitude on a new charter and their views regarding the needs of Mexia in this particular.

It is a season when thinking men and women should be informed on this very important matter. The heat of personal prejudices should not enter the campaign.

The elections are called and to be called for the good of Mexia. If no change for the better is to result, then it would have been far better never to have called the citizens to the ballot box. The people of Mexia will do the right thing, if not blind as to the things that the candidates to be voted on stand for. Only the candidates can help them solve the problem.

Mexican rebels are getting active along certain sections of the Mexican border again but they would do well to bear one fact in mind before they start robbing and killing Americans. It will not be long before the Democrats will be in control of the administration.

Mexia may have some faults, but none of the candidates for the Charter Commission have been connected with the Tea Pot Dome scandal.

The higher up a man goes in a public trust the lower he falls when he violates that trust.

BEWARE OF IMPETUOUSITY AND "SWEATY HASTE"

(The Dallas News)

For ye shall not go out with haste, nor by flight—Isaiah lii. 12.

The nervous, fretful, restless, impatient and impetuous man is an enemy to himself and a nuisance, if not a menace, to others.

Such a one is invariably erratic and therefore not dependable. Often his intentions are the best, but his over-quick decision not infrequently defeats his purpose. It is not altogether his fault, but his misfortune. He can best overcome his deficiencies in the same way that moral and spiritual imperfections are overcome—by an abiding faith in Him who is his examplar in all things.

The state of mind of such a man affects his health as well as his peace and happiness. It manifests an erratic condition which indicates instability and double-mindedness; and we are told very truly that "A double-minded man is unstable in all his ways."

Careful, constant and continuous efforts painstakingly expended is in every way more economic, serene and satisfactory as to peace and happiness, as well as more profitable otherwise, than hasty, impulsive and necessarily spasmodic efforts. Careful planning, thoughtful preparation and systematic and persistent endeavor accomplish wonders where haste and intermittent attempts not only fail, but discourage and dispirit those most interested.

Not only is there waste and disappointment in all this "sweaty haste" but it is always dangerous. This accounts in large measure for many accidents in which there is maiming or loss of life. It is a sad commentary on one's thoughtfulness to see him go about his ordinary business affairs as if he were rushing to the rescue of some one from death.

The nervous, fidgety, impulsive man is a discordant note in the symphony of life.

He is a jazz performer with an untuned instrument in an orchestra of artists rendering a program of classical masterpieces.

He is a disturbing factor in every enterprise.

He who without a serene and well founded hope, who does not have his faith fixed in a spiritual way, can not have that serenity, that calm self-poise which are characteristic of greatness and evidence of a well-grounded faith. He is fretful, and the fretful man is always unhappy. Not only so, but he makes those about him unhappy. He keeps them constantly anticipating some quick, wild movement or exclamation calculated to upset the tranquility and peace of the occasion.

A natural, inevitable and terrible effect of haste, fear, inconsiderateness and confusion is anger, as well as disappointment, because of the lack of desired results.

Patience, calmness, confidence and self-poise add a charm to personality which nothing else can in any degree approach. It not only makes tranquil the life of him who possesses these virtues, but they give confidence and hopefulness to those with whom he comes into contact. They feel a safety and contentment in his presence which they can not find elsewhere.

God help and pity the nervous, restless, hurrying, impulsive, tiderty, dissatisfied and fearful individual. He burns enough mental and physical energy to accomplish wonders were it wisely expended.

It's an awful thing, this "sweaty haste."

"Hope thou in God."

FAREWELL BUT NOT FOREVER

"In loving remembrance of our dear brother and son, J. H. Wheat, who died at his home in Hemphill on Saturday, Oct. 6th at 6:35 a. m."

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.
God in his wisdom had recalled
The bobn his live had given,
And though the body slumbers here
The soul is safe in Heaven.

The image of thy loving face
Whose radiance cheered us on life's way,
Shall live in memory's fond embrace,
As long as reason holds her sway.
The joys and hopes and smiles and tears
The shadows of those passing years,
The days and weeks and months
But seem the fragrance of a happy dream.

There is no death. An angel form
Walks o'er the earth with silent tread
And tears our best loved things away.
And then we call them "dead".
He leaves our hearts all desolate,
He plucks our fairest, sweetest flowers,
Transplanted into bliss, they now
Adorn immortal bowers.

Peaceful be thy silent slumber,
Peaceful in thy grave so low,
Thou no more will join our number,
Thou no more our sorrows know.
Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life is fled,
And in Heaven with joy to greet thee
Where no farewell tears are shed.

Call not back the dear departed,
Anchored safe where storms are o'er,
On the border land we left him,
Soon to meet and part no more.
When we leave this world of changes,
When we leave this world of care,
We shall find our missing loved ones,
In our fathers mansion fair.

Farewell, dear brother, but not forever,
There will be a glorious Dawn,
We shall meet to part—no never—
On the resurrection morn.
Tho' thy darling form lies sleeping
In the cold and silent tomb,
Thou shall have a glorious waking
When the blessed Lord doth come.

(Mrs. Geo. W. Hyson, Miss Elba and Gloria Wheat, sisters, of Mexia, and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wheat, parents, of Woodville, Texas.)

WHAT I OWE TO THE MASONS OF TEXAS

By ELIZABETH GILSON,
Tenth Grade, Masonic Home School

(Editor's Note—Following is the prize winning essay on the subject under which it is written. The prize was in cash and was given by Hon. Wilmot Odell. The author is a student of the Masonic Home at Fort Worth.)

Abraham Lincoln once said, "All that I am and all that I hope to be I owe to my mother." In like manner I may say, "All that I am and all that I hope to be I owe to you, Masons of Texas." You have given me a home. By this, I mean all that the word "home" typifies— the necessities of life; the pleasures of life; and kindness, goodfellowship and love. You are giving me an education—not just the ordinary courses taught in a public school, not just vocational courses, but an education received from the meeting, association with and knowing of good people. You have made it possible for me to learn of some of the best things of life. For all this I am indebted to you and, as a true Masonic daughter, it is my duty to try and repay you; for, as Emerson in his essay on "Compensation" says, "He is base—and that is the one base thing in the universe—to receive favors and render none." I realize that to pay in silver and gold would be very nearly impossible, because you have given me more than just material things. However, I can repay you in something far better and more lasting than coin—good deeds.

While I am in school these deeds assume the form of my taking advantage of all opportunities that are offered me to fit myself physically, mentally and morally for my life after I leave school. By taking part in the athletics and by doing as I am told in regard to caring for my body, I fit myself physically for a useful lift. By studying the lessons and performing the tasks assigned me, I learn not only what is set forth in so many words on the printed page, but also lessons of honesty, truthfulness, and determination. In learning through the sermons I hear and through the lessons taught by my teachers, all I can of Christ and His life, I fit myself for a true, upright and morally good life.

While I am in school my means of expressing my gratitude are limited, but later I will be afforded numerous ways. By living a life that will be a joy and pride to my community, my friends and to you, my benefactors, I shall show that I really appreciate what you have done for me. By aiding others as I have been helped, I return payment to you. Christ taught that through our befriending our fellow men we befriend Him, so through helping others as I have been helped I repay you.

In conclusion let me say that I shall
"Count that day lost whose
low descending sun
Views from my hand no
worthy action done."

Fifty-six and one-half per cent of cargo moved thru the Panama canal last year was in United States ships.

Justices of the peace and their bailiffs patrol the highways in Florida in automobiles, forming "rolling courts."

Acid In Stomach Sours the Food

SAYS EXCESS OF HYDROCHLORIC ACID IS CAUSE OF INDIGESTION.

A well known authority states, that stomach trouble and indigestion are nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation; then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases, which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief often follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

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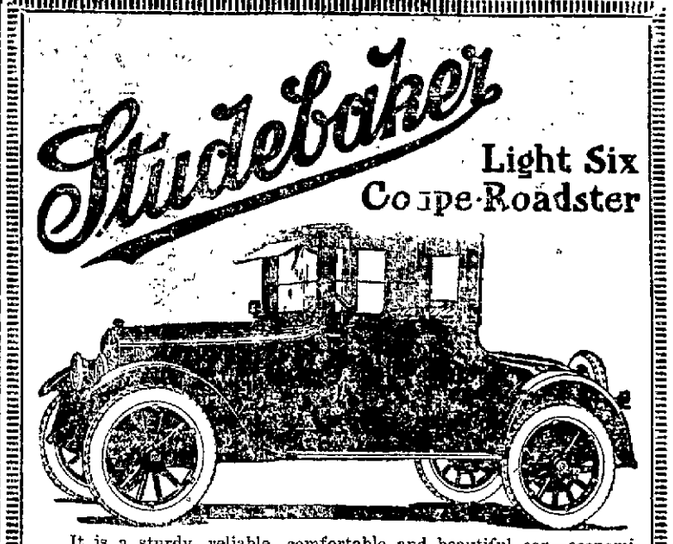

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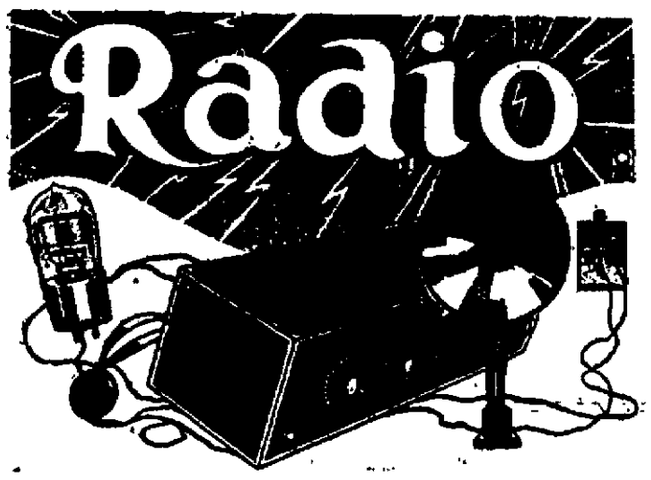

Tune in time tonight, Central Standard time.

5:00 to 6:00 P. M.

KDKA—5:15: Dinner Concert.

KFSD—5:30: Special music and readings for shut-ins.

WCAE—5:30: Dinner concert—William Penn Hotel.

WFI—5:00: Sunny Jim, the kiddies pal.

WGY—5:30: Dinner music, instrumental trio of Hotel TenEYECK.

WIP—505: Dick Regan symphony orchestra.

6:00 to 7:00 P. M.

KDKA—7:00: Radio girl scout meeting; 8:30 Herbert Rotan, violinist.

KFO—6:30: Rudy Siegers orchestra.

WCAE—6:30: Uncle "Kaybee;" 6:15 Lou Kennedy, popular singer.

WDAF—6:00: Varied program of music and addresses.

WGY—6:45: Georgia minstrel boys

WIP—6:00: Uncle Wip's bed time stories.

WJAX—6:30: Bed time story; selected numbers by the Cleveland Zither club.

WOAW—6:30: Dinner program Carl Lamp's orchestra.

7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

WBAP—7:30: Concert, Texas Woman's College.

WCAL—7:30: Harmonyland Entertainers.

WDAP—7:00: Rate concert ensemble and Black tone stringed quintet.

WHAS—7:30. Al Gorman's novelty orchestra.

8:00 to 9:00 P. M.

KSD—8:00: Mrs. Evelyn D. Staley and others; song program.

WDAP—8:00: Barton organ played by Ralph Emerson.

WFAA—8:30: Trio club of Dallas.

WMC—8:00: Concert, Mrs. Ed Neal and other artists.

WOS—8:20: Old time fiddlers trio.

9:00 to 10:00 P. M.

WBAP—9:30: Concert Municipal Band of Slaton.

WFI—9:10: Charlie Carr orchestra

WIP—9:15: Ted Weems orchestra.

WSB—9:00: Annual ball and celebration—Atlanta federation of musicians.

10:00 to 11:00 P. M.

WDAP—10:00: Jack Chapman's orchestra.

WJAZ—10.00: Oriole orchestra and others in song selections.

WSB—10.15: Finale of annual ball and celebration.

11:00 to 12:00 P. M.

KSD—11:30: Mrs. Caroll Smith, soprano; Agnes Gray, violinist.

WDAF—11:15: Night Hawk Frolic

WDAR—11:30: Arcadia Cafe concert orchestra.

WFAA—11:00 Circular Theatre orchestra.

WMC—11:00: Midnight frolic.

Station Call Letters.

KDKA—East Pittsburgh, Pa.
KFSG—Los Angeles, Cal.
KOP—San Francisco, Cal.
KSD—St. Louis, Mo.
WBAP—Fort Worth, Texas.
WCAE—Pittsburgh, Penn.
WDAF—Kansas City, Mo.
WDAP—Chicago, Ill.
WDAR—Philadelphia, Penn.
WFAA—Dallas, Texas.
WFI—Philadelphia.
WGY—Schenectady.
WHAS—Louisville, Ky.
WIP—Philadelphia.
WJAX—Cleveland, Ohio.
WJAZ—Chicago, Ill.
WMC—Memphis, Tenn.
WOAW—Omaha, Neb.
WOS—Jefferson City, Mo.
WSB—Atlanta, Ga.

MISS ELLEN BRODNAX CELEBRATES BRITHDAY

Little Miss Ellen Brodnax, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cox Brodnax, celebrated her 5th birthday Monday and was host to a number of her little friends. Needless to say that the little tots all enjoyed the party and will look forward to a year hence when Miss Ellen will be six years old.

Better Take a Detour.

(From the Indianapolis Star)

"Way Paved for Third Party," says a headline. But it will be filled with political chuck holes.

Three thousand merchant vessels fly the Japanses flag.

Wide Distribution Of Studebaker's Stock Is Planned

Directors of the Studebaker Corporation, South Bend, Indiana, have called a special meeting of stockholders April first to approve an increase of capital from $75,000,000 stock of $100 par to 2,500,000 shares on par and to distribute two and one-half shares for each present share.

The call for the meeting followed a special session of the directorate in South Bend. The stockholders will meet at Jersey City, N. J. It is proposed to place the new stock on a $4 basis.

Immediately after the close of the meeting of the directors A. R. Erskine, president of the Studebaker Corporation, issued the following statement:

"A special meeting of the stockholders of the Studebaker Corporation has been called at Jersey City, N. J., April 1, by the directors who held a special meeting at South Bend, to approve their recommendation that the charter of the corporation be amended to change the character of the outstanding common stock from $100 par value to $40 no par value, which would mean that present, common stockholders would receive two and one-half shares of new stock for each share of old stock now outstanding.

"It is intended to increase the authorized common capital stock to 2,500,000 shares, although only 1,875,000 shares will be needed to retire the present outstanding common stock of 750,000 shares. The remaining 625,000 shares of new stock will not be issued at present.

"The object in reducing the stock to a $40 basis is to permit broader investment in it by Studebaker employees, dealers, and car owners, and generally to give it a wider distribution.

"Under the present 10 per cent common dividend rate, each new share of common stock will receive dividends of $1 quarterly, or $4 per annum.

"The new plan will become effective provided it is approved by the stockholders at the special meeting of April 1, as already stated.

"Stockholders are aware of difficulties attendant on a wide distribution of high priced common stocks selling in the market above $100 a share.

"While Studebaker common stock is fairly well distributed the dicertors feel that a much wider distribution among employees, dealers, car owners and investors generally will follow the splitting up of the stock and this feeling is responsible for the plan which they now recommend to the stockholders.

"Wide distribution of our stock will prove of great advantage to the corporation. Every stockholder of a corporation, no matter how small his holdings, is a friend of that corporation and will exert an influence in its behalf in his community. Other corporations in the automobile industry competing with our corporation have many more stockholders than Studebaker has and the directors desire to correct this situation.

"They believe that many more employees of the corporation in addition to the 3,000 who now own its stock, as well as thousands of car owners and dealers, will be able to buy stock in smaller units."

Sage Tea Keeps Your Hair Dark

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks streaked, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundred-fold.

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CARD OF THANKS

We, the members of the Nairators club, wish to take this means of thanking the people of the town for their hearty co-operation in our attempt to raise funds for a worthy cause. We wish especially to thank the people who assisted our sponsor in putting on the program: Miss Mary Woodard, Miss Anne Earl, and Mrs. Krueger. We also wish to acknowledge our indebtedness to Mrs. Sam B. Werner, Mrs. Blake Smith and Blake, Jr. for the music of the evening. For other material assistance we are grateful to the business firms who advertised on our programs; to J. I. Riddle Furniture Co., for all furniture used; to Langston Furniture Co., for the rugs, which graced the stage, to The Mexia Daily News for certain publicity and to Mr. Box who gave us free advertising in both of his theatres.

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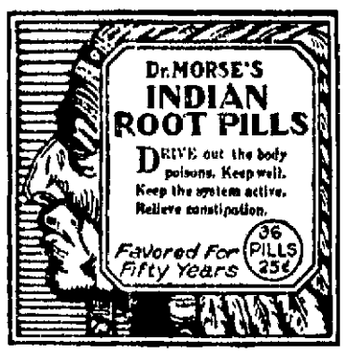

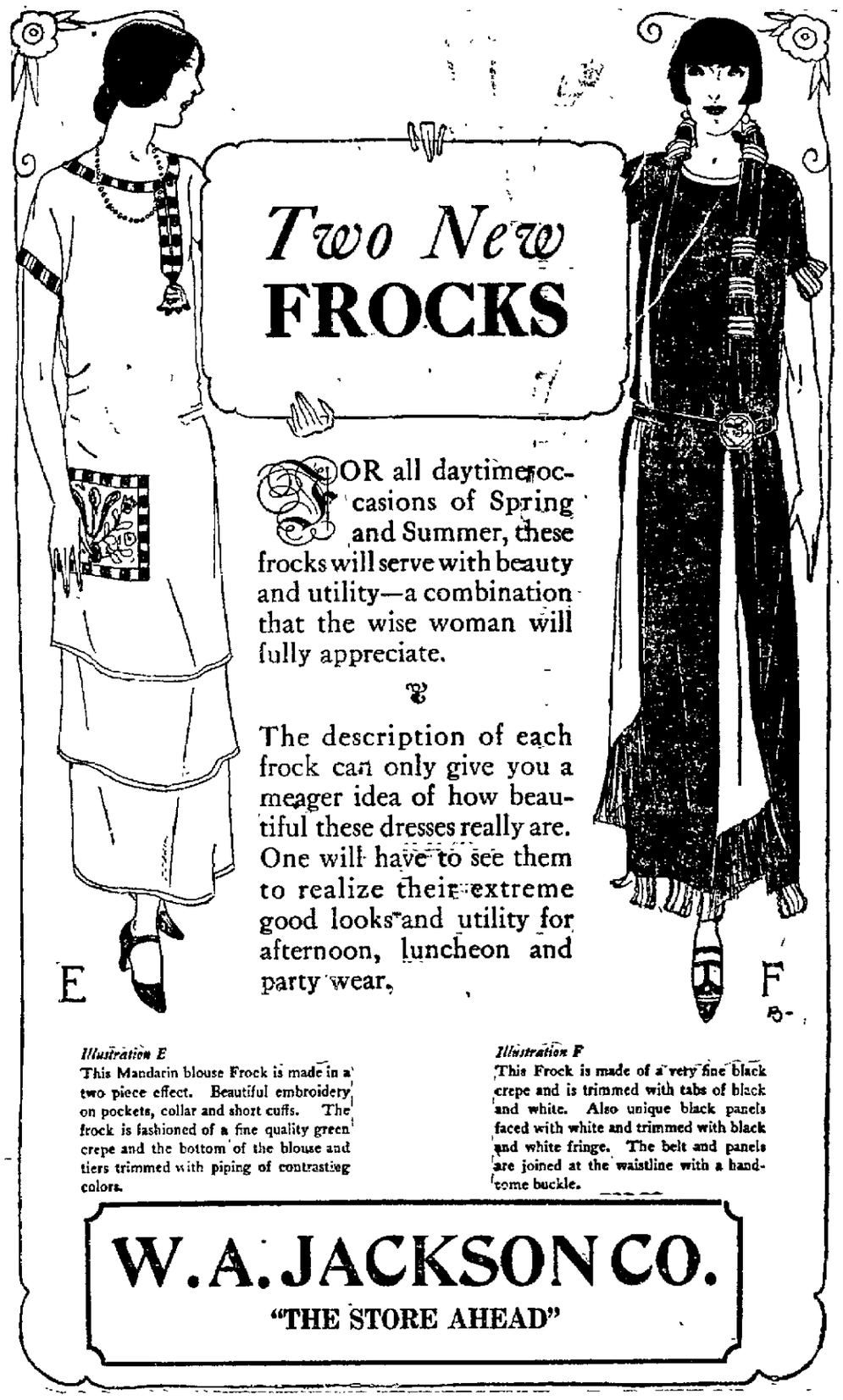

Two New FROCKS

FOR all daytime occasions of Spring and Summer, these frocks will serve with beauty and utility—a combination that the wise woman will fully appreciate.

The description of each frock can only give you a meager idea of how beautiful these dresses really are. One will have to see them to realize their extreme good looks and utility for afternoon, luncheon and party wear.

Illustration E
This Mandarin blouse Frock is made in a two piece effect. Beautiful embroidery on pockets, collar and short cuffs. The frock is fashioned of a fine quality green crepe and the bottom of the blouse and tiers trimmed with piping of contrasting colors.

Illustration F
This Frock is made of a very fine black crepe and is trimmed with tabs of black and white. Also unique black panels faced with white and trimmed with black and white fringe. The belt and panels are joined at the waistline with a handsome buckle.

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OIL

The Simms Oil company is erecting a new derrick on the Hill, off-setting the Stroube well on the north. On the Cerf tract to the east the Tidal Oil company is erecting a derrick making No. 10 location on that tract Simms is also erecting an off-set derrick on the H. B. Boyd tract off-setting No. 5, which is now reported making about 3,000 barrels oil a day with only a few feet of sand drilled into. Showers and Peacock are drilling on a deep test on the Hill, offsetting the Hooser well. Elliott-Sparkman & Mauldin will deepen their No. 2 Hill, and will likely get big production in the deeper sands.

The Brown well of McDonald Bros. at Richland is again making oil through tubing, it is reliably reported. McDonald is drilling away on an off-set to the Godley-Allison test which is now waiting on cement to set.

The Smith-Mead well will be ready for drilling plug Monday, it was announced today.

Cranfill Bros. & Penn are to drill a test in the Bazette area beginning at an early date. The new test is to go down in the northeast corner of the Barnett 100-acres tract in the Simonton Survey. The Mutual Oil company is about reday to spud in on the Nowlin tract, and another test is going down on Purifoy tract.

Indications in oil circles now are that Navarro county is entering upon a better year for oil development than was 1923, despite the enormous development during that year. With daily production at its present height and still going up gradually, and only for a few days since the year opened that it dropped below the 100,000 barrel mark, a good start is made for a big production year.

Not only have recent developments uncovered a new deep sand below the old Woodbine, as desclosed by the deep production within the last few days, but shallow sands are to be developed over a great portion of the deep belt and other portions of the county where deep oil has not as yet been found.

Rail shipments of oil from the Milford station have been resumed by the Humble and the Atlantic companies, following the last few days big accumulated production in the oil fields.

The Trinity and Brazos Valley are parking oil tank cars at the loading racks serving the two tank farms, 1 mile south of Mildred.

The oil is being routed to refiners in South Texas. However, one train of oil started loading today for consumption in Canada. A concern in Dallas is understood to have purchased the trainload of oil for delivery at Winnipeg. It will move north over the Trinity & Brazos Valley, according to announcement.

The loading racks have been inactive for several months. New production has filled up the available storage and the rail shipments have been resumed.

DARIO

Tuesday, March 11, 8:00 p. m.

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Intimate Strangers

A play in three acts by Booth Tarkington, played by the Burnham Players, Mr. Roger Burnham in triple role.

CAST

The Station Master; William Ames;
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Isabelle Stuart.. Mrs. Roger N. Burnham.
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Instrumental Selection—Invincible America . . . . . Crosby
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Act I

A Railway Station on a night in April.

Note:—During this act chimes will be rung to denote the lapse of a few hours.

Instrumental Selections—
(a) Beauty's Eyes ..... .Tosti
(b) Serenade . . . . . .Tosti
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Act II

The living room at Isabelle's the next morning

Instrumental Selections—
(a) Lotus Flower . . .Schumann
(b) Gypsy John . . . . . Clay
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Act III

The same. That evening.

Instrumental Selection—
The Regiment's Return . . . Crosby
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THE STORY OF THE MACFADDEN PUBLICATIONS

Nearly forty years ago a young man had the idea that humanity's salvation lay in humanity's own hands—that by right living and thinking, proper food and exercise, the sick could be made well, the weak made strong and the healthy kept in a state of perpetual glowing health.

Bernarr Macfadden was this young man and the idea, which he called the Physical Culture Idea, was his only possession, for money and material things he had not. And how he was to present his great health message to the world—a message that from his own experience was tried and true—was a problem which was solved only after much careful planning. In 1898 he first presented his idea to the world in the form of a small pamphlet called "Physical Culture," at 5c a copy which made up for its lack of pages by its sincerity of purpose.

Slowly and yet surely, year after year, this little booklet grew in size, with each year a greater number of followers in its wake. Gradually people began to realize the truth of its message and now thousands of people follow its advice, practice what it preaches and reap the benefits of a physical culture life.

Strange as it may seem, True Story Magazine, with its fascinating true stories from actual lives, grew out of the Physical Culture Idea. During the years of publishing Physical Culture Magazine, readers who had learned to accept the doctrines of Bernarr Macfadden, readers who were ill in mind, in fact those whose bodily illnesses were due to what seemed to them unsolvable personal problems, were wont to write their troubles to Mr. Macfadden, hoping that he could help them straighten out their tangled lives.

These letters, from the very hearts of the writers, who were suffering untold mental misery, were always most interesting to read and invariably each contained a great moral or truth of undoubted value to humanity, that would have prevented all their misery, had they only known. Mr. Macfadden realized the value of these revelations to the public, just as he realized the importance of spreading the Physical Culture Idea, and in 1919 the first collection of these true life stories were grouped together and published under the name of "True Story Magazine."

Immediately the public took to this magazine and the tremendous growth in the past five years to a circulation of two million or more copies each month is recognized by the publishing world as being little short of miraculous.

With Physical Culture and True Story magazines firmly established, Mr. Macfadden and his associates felt that they were now in a position to supply the popular demand for other magazines in certain specialized fields

The next magazine to be produced was Movie Weekly, which is just as its name suggests, a weekly magazine of the movie world. Printed in rotogravure with plenty of splendid photographs of celebrated stars and often edited entirely by prominent stars, it has become the standard magazine of the movie fan and all others interested in happenings of the silver screen, past, present and future.

About a year later, in 1922, appeared Brain Power magazine—for those anxious to get a foothold in the ladder of success, and Beautiful Womanhood, a magazine devoted entirely to the women for the furtherance of their charm and individuality.

During this time, excellent life stories were accumulating—far more than could be used in True Story magazine alone, and this surplus of material, True Romances, rightly called a sister magazine to True Story, made its bow to an eager public.

Metropolitan Magazine became one of the Macfadden group in February, 1923. With years of unprecedented popularity, this Magazine is holding its place and becoming one of the world's greatest story magazines, whose contributors are among the best known writers of today.

Secret Is Safe

People who have been embarrased repeatedly on account of disfigured skin on their face, neck, arms and hands, caused by eczema, tetter, rash, boils, pimples, etc., are nearly always sensitive about these things to the point of feeling that every body is watching them and talking about how bad they look.

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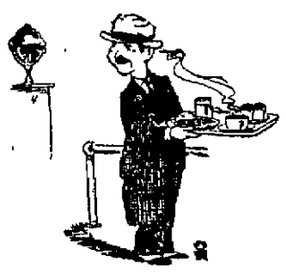
The 50c size contains three times as much as te 25c size. All dealers have it.—(Adv)



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Mr. C. O. Nelson, deputy, will be in Mexia, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 10th, 11th and 12th, to assist taxpayers in making out their income tax returns. His office will be found o nthe second floor of the E. L. Smith Building. Don't forget that the current filing period for 1923 ends on the 15th.

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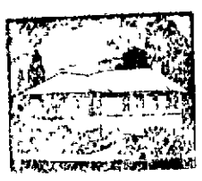

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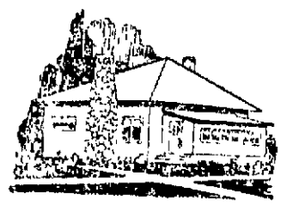

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Clarke Pleads Guilty Before Houston Judge

HOUSTON, Texas, March 10.—E. Y. Clarke, former acting Imperial Wizard of the K. K. K. pleaded guilty in Federal District Court here on a charge of violating the Mann White Slave Act. Clarke was fined $5000. The judge severely reprimanded the Klansman after Prosecuting Attorney Holden said. Clarke and William Joseph Simmons visited a house of ill repute in Houston during the Confederate veterans reunion in 1920. Said Clarke met the Martin girl. That time the judge told Clarke he was not practicing what he was preaching and asked him if he was not propogating principles of purity, protection and virtue in connection with the Klan work.

Clarke is charged with having transported Miss Laura Martin, 21, Houston girl, to New Orleans for immoral purposes.

The trial today marks the third time the case has come before the court here. Twice before the case was postponed on motion of the defense

Clarke, then imperial kleagle of the Klan, is alleged to have met Miss Martin in Houston in October, 1920, while he was here on official business for the Klan.

Later he is alleged to have wired Miss Martin money and met her by appointment on Feb. 11, 1921, at the St. Charles hotel in New Orleans where they registered as man and wife.

The indictment against Clarke was returned on March 1, 1921, and Clarke made bond of $1,000 in Atlanta his home. Federal District Attorney Holden, of Houston, however, believing the bond inadequate asked the court to raise the amount and it was set for $5,000.

Clarke has made sweeping denial of the charges. Miss Martin, however, at the time the indictment was returned asserted the charges were true.

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The Japanese believe in a deity (Dsisso) presiding over roads and travelers.

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Drowning was formerly a mode of capital punishment in Europe and Rome.

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Ray Hairson was here Sunday from Waco.

Prospects Bright For T. A. League

MARLIN, Texas, March 10.—Prospects for the ensuing season in the Texas Association are very bright, according to A. B. Johnson of Marlin, president of the loop, and the fact that Temple has supplanted Sherman on the calendar will be a great benefit in boosting the association from a sporting proposition to a paying one, for the reason that so much expense was entailed in Sherman's long jumps from one city to another and back home as well as taking the other teams from their respective headquarters to Sherman, he said.

Mr. Johnson predicted that the Texas Association will enjoy the patronage of a Class C organization this season, due to the fact that it lies in the heart of the Texas League and includes the most densely populated section of the State. "And if we can obtain a few more thousand inhabitants in this area it is very possible that we shall be able to raise our rating from Class D to Class C," he declared.

Austin, Waco, Temple and Corsicana have all previously been members of the Texas League, Mr. Johnson pointed out, and Mexia was formerly a member of the Texas-Oklahoma League, while Marlin had a club in the old Central Texas League. This shouldl make the Texas Association one of the best Class D circuits in the entire country, he added.

The managers of all the different teams in the loop are old heads at the game, Mr. Johnson asserted. A. Rankin Johnson, manager of the Temple aggregation, was pilot of the Austin team last season and is a former major leaue moundsman; Walter Alexander, pilot of the Marlin Bathers, was one time a big league backstop; Cecil Griggs, the new Austin manager, is well known in Texas League circles, Fowlkes, Mexia's new boss, was obtained from the "Kitty"; Harvey Grubb, potential Corsicana helmsman, has several years experience behind him and Otto McIver, who has charge of the destinies of the Waco Indians, managed the Sherman pennant winners last season.

Every club in the association will have players in training this week, Mr. Johnson said, and the schedule is now being prepared to open the season about April 20, continuing four months.

Sportlights

By HECK, Jr.

Old Sol is getting the weather back in line for the season of good things, the birds are warbling everything from jazz on up, the lambs are gamboling on the prairies and By Heck is all "hot" up over the idea that he will soon be back out at Nowlin Park jotting down the decesions of the umps, listening to the rules and regulations as some of the players see them and best of all, drinking red soda pop, eating peanuts and ham sandwiches. That to him is the greatest lift of all lives and he sure seems sorry that it only lasts part of the year.

E. H. Poteet, high school mentor has been taking advantage of the pretty weather for the last week or two and has had all candidates for the high school baseball nine out at Nowlin Park tossing the agate around and swinging the willow. He has gathered some nice ball players from the school and hopes to present a good line up in their first game of the season which will be played at Nowlin Park Friday afternoon against the Dawson high school team. The Navarro county boys always have a nice baseball team and things should be humming around the old ball lot with them for opponents.

Coach Poteet has quite a number of men to pick from to start the initial game. He has Cox, a left hander, Mills, Clover, Karner and Bennett to use in the box with either Wayne Thompson, C. Thompson or Buford at the receiving end of the line. If Cox is used in the box it is likely that Clover will get the nomination to hold down the initial bag althought Perkinson may be used at that position. Treadway and Simmonds are being groomed to hold the keystone bag.

Buddie Storey and Maurice Robinson, the former a letter man on last years squad are fighting it out to see who will grab the short stop position and both are likely players. On the hot corner, Poteet has a veteran, playing his last year with the local squad, "Dub" Kendrick, who is one of the best little ball players ever developed at the school. Kendick is a nice fielder, handles himself beautifully and batted a fraction over .300 last season.

In the outfield the prospects are not as bright as were expected by Poteet. Wayne Lucas, who was the best of the fly chasers last season, is not rounding into form as quickly as expected but no doubt will come around in the next few days as soon as the weather gets sure enough warm. Aulds, Maxwell, Buford and Bennett are trying for those positions in the gardens and Bennett and Buford are also working for the pitching and catching staff respectively. Wallace, although small of stature may be used some in the field as he is a fairly good batter.

Coach Poteet expects to bring home the bacon Friday and urges the town and school to give the team some backing as a ball team cannot be made with only the players working for the benefit of the town without baseball lovers getting in behind and helping them by doing a little pushing.

The first game will be with Dawson high school Friday afternoon at Nowlin Park at 3:30 o'clock sharp.

Let's play ball!

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J. H. EVETTS TELLS OF TESTS IN GRIMES COUNTY

J. H. Evetts, Commercial Agent of the Southern Pacific lines, of Corsicana was here Monday on business. He stated that three rigs had been shipped from here to Grimes County for wildcat tests to be made in that county. Two of the tests are to be made near Carlos, one near Singleton and the fourth is to be made near the big gasser, the Cutrell, between Carlos and Singleton.

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NEGRO ARRESTED FOR BOOTLEGGING

Sam Jacobs, colored, was arrested Monday morning by the Constable force charged with the sale of intoxicating liquors. He was released under $500 bond. A negro, who was arrested on charge of drunkenness, revealed that he had purchased liquor from Jacobs, officers said.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hopson had as guests at dinner Sunday at the Commercial Hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jeffers and Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Harper.

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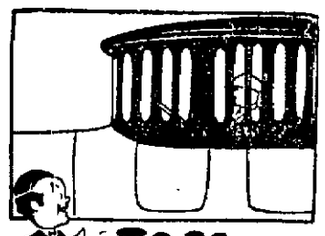

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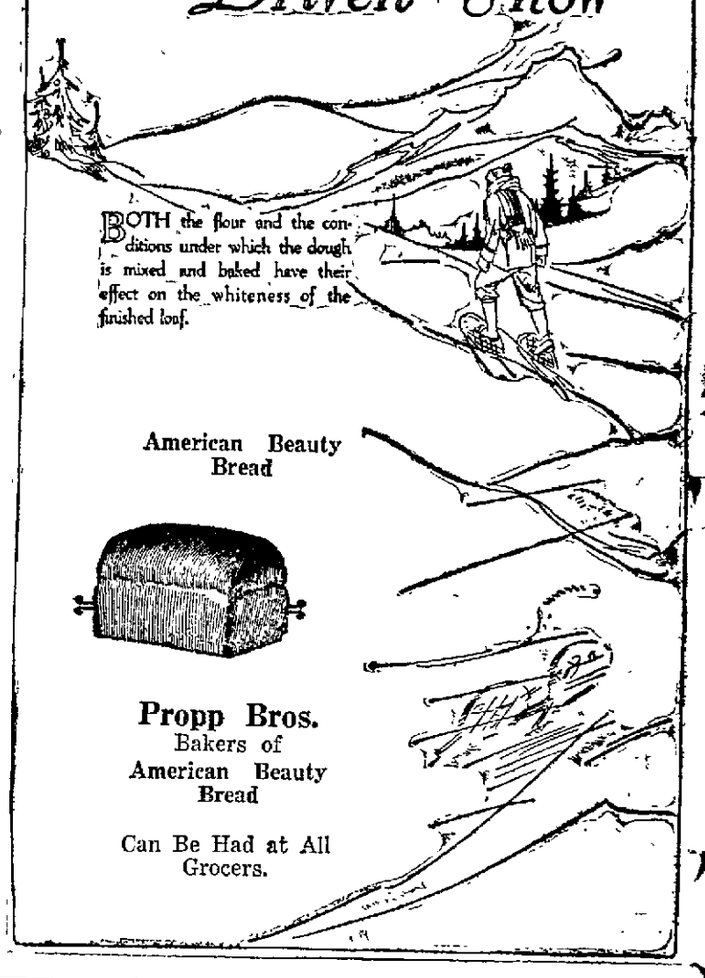

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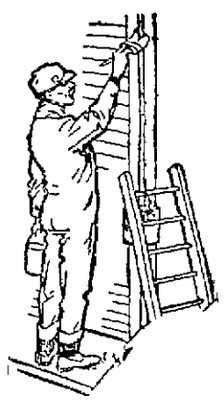

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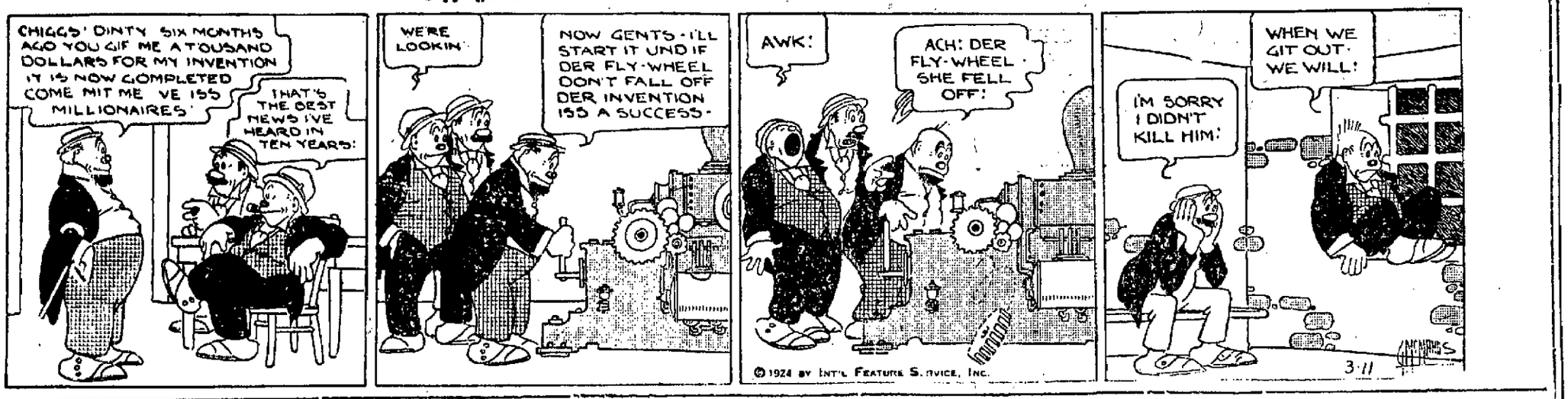
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LOST AND FOUND—D.

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LOST—On the streets Monday night, a white-gold wrist watch. Will finder kindly return to Daisy Mays at Dr. Pittman's office. 11D2

LOST—Crescent shaped solid gold ear-ring, about one eight inch in thickness. Lost between 725 East Main and town. Reward offered. Mrs. Harvey Bennett, 725 East Main. Phone 320-W. 10D7

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WANT TO BUY—J. K. Hughes Developing Company, E. L. Smith Oil Company, Mexia Heart of Pool Royalty Company, Powell Five Hundred, Jesse McLendon, room 1 McLendon building, Mexia, Texas. 18E30

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CALLED MEETING
KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

There will be a called meeting of Corsicana Lion Commandery Knights Templar tonight at 7:30 for work in the Red Cross and Malta degrees. Candidates and officers are urged to be present promptly on time. Visitors are always welcome.

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Sumpter School Boys Organize Reading Club

The Sixth and Seventh Grade boys of Sumpter Street School met last Friday at the Public Library for the purpose of organizing a Reading Club. The following officers were elected:

President, Robert Travis.
Vice President, Tom Measles.
Secretary, Walter McDonald.
Parliamentarian, Loyce Hill.
Reporter, Eugene Womack.

The Board of Directors is composed of the officers of the club, Alvin Houser, Mrs. Alderman, Miss Simmonds, and Mrs. Bergeron.

The President appointed the following committee to draw up a Constitution: Miss Simmonds, Tom Measles, Loyce Hill, Elwood Potter, Blake Smith, Tom Randolph, and Charlie Measles.

After the business was disposed of, Mrs. Alderman made a most interesting talk to the boys.

The club adjourned to meet Wednesday morning, March 12th at the library.

Eugene Womack, Reporter

Rebeccas Enjoy Friday's Meeting

The Rebeccas of the Mexia Lodge No. 190 met in regular session Friday night, Mrs. G. W. Hopson, N. G., presided. After a short meeting they adjourned and turned the meeting over to the association at which time plans were discussed for the meeting to be held in Teague to meet in July at which time the children from the home at Corsicana will be secured for the program. After a very spirited meeting they adjourned to meet at Groesbeck Friday, March 28th. There were visitors from Teague, Groesbeck and Kosse. Refreshments of cake, sandwiches and coffee were served. All reported a very enjoyable time and expressed wishes to come back and visit Mexia.

NEW PASTOR FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH INSTALLED SUNDAY

Rev. E. H. Hudson, the new pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was installed Sunday morning by Dr. T. W. Currie of Austin and Rev. M. D. Maxwell of Wortham. Dr. Currie preached the sermon and delivered the charge to the congregation, while Rev. Maxwell delivered the charge to the new pastor. The service was very impressive. Mr. G. E. Mitchell was also installed as elder, he having been ordained in Corsicana some years ago, where he served as elder. Notwithstanding the cold weather a large congregation witnessed the ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gambrell and baby daughter left for their home in Tulsa, Oklahoma, Sunday afternoon, after spending the week end with Mrs Gambrell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Corley. Mr. Gambrell had been attending an Oil Men's Convention in Dallas and came down with his family for a short visit before returning home.

INCOME TAX IN NUTSHELL

WHO?—Single persons who had net income of $1,000 or more or gross income of $5,000 or more, and married couples who had net income of $1,000 or more or gross income of $5,000 or more, and married couples who had net in come of $2,000 or more or gross income of $5,000 or more must file returns.

WHEN?—The filing period is from January 1 to March 15, 1924.

WHERE?—Collector of internal revenue for the district in which the person lives or has his principal place of business.

HOW?—Instructions on Form 1040-A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations.

WHAT?—Four per cent normal tax on the first $4,000 of net income in excess of the personal exemption and credits for dependents. Eight per cent normal tax on balance of net income. Surtax from 1 per cent to 50 per cent on net incomes over $6.000 for the year 1923.

Miss Glynn Mitchell, a student in the Presbyterian college at Milford, spent Sunday in Mexia visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mitchell.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Limestone County, of the 6th day of March, 1924, by the District Clerk, of said Limestone County, for the sum of Seven Hundred Sixty-Two 30-100 ($762.30) Dollars and costs of suit, under a Vendor's Lien, in favor of Wm. M. Rice Institute, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 4190-B and styled Wm M. Rice Institute vs. J. E. Frost, John S. Prince, and F. W. Woodward, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone County, County, Texas, did, on the 8th, day of March 1924, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to wit: Upon Lot No. 5 in Block No. 38, in the City of Mexia, according to the map of said City drawn by C. E. Davis, a copy of which is recorded in Vol. 52, page 621, deed records of Limestone County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of J. E. Frost, John S. Prince and F. W. Woodward, and that on the first Tuesday in April 1924, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door, of Limestone County, in the Town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. E. Frost, John S. Prince and F. W. Woodward.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of March, 1924.

WHIT POPEJOY,
Sheriff, Limestone
County, Texas.
By N. P. HARRIS, Deputy.
March 10-17-24-31

INCOME TAX NOTICE

I am prepared to do your Income-Tax work, night or day, till March 15. S. H. FLAKE, Accountant, Room 4, White Building. Phone 328. 2-15

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
STATE OF TEXAS,
City of Mexia,
County of Limestone.

On this the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, convened pursuant to adjournment in the City Hall, E. Watson, Mayor, W. C. Wilson, Commissioner, and J. R. Forrest, Commissioner, being present, and among other business transacted, the following ordinance was passed:

AN ORDINANCE

An ordinance ordering a special election in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 18th day of March, 1924, for the submission of the question, "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER, AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING FROM THE CITY OF MEXIA AT LARGE A CHARTER COMMISSION OF NOT LESS THAN 15 MEMBERS AND DESIGNATING THE PLACE AT WHICH SAID ELECTION IS TO BE HELD AND APPOINTING PRESIDING OFFICERS THEREOF AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY."

WHEREAS, the City of Mexia, Texas, has more than 5,000 actual bona fide inhabitants, and whereas, since its incorporation the City has been operating under the General Statutes of Texas, and without a Charter, and whereas, it will be o the best interest and general welfare of said City to adopt a Charter, and thereby confer upon said city the full powers of local self government, as contemplated and authorized by Article 11, Section 5, Constitution of Texas as amended in 1912, and all laws pursuant thereto, and

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of February, 1924, the following request was made to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, for action:

"We, the undersigned resident citizens of the City of Mexia, Texas, hereby respectfully request the Honorable Mayor and Commissioners to submit to the voters of said city the question whether a commission shall be chosen to frame a charter for said city, said question to be submitted at the first opportune time." signed by W. J. Keeling and 97 others, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, by a unanimous vote of its members deems it advisable to order an election for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said city the question "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER"; and for the purpose of electing 15 members from the City at large to compose such Charter Commission, and

WHEREAS, the next regular municipal election in and for the City of Mexia, cannot and will not be held until the 9th day of April, 1925 which will be more than 90 days after this ordinance shall have been passed, and it being, therefore, impracticable and impossible to hold the election herein provided for at the next regular municipal election,

THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas:

Section 1. That a special election be held Tuesday the 18th day of March 1924, in the City of Mexia, Tex., for the purpose of submitting the following question, to-wit: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER".

Section 2. That at said election also, there shall be elected from amongst the qualified voters of said city at large 15 Commissioners, whose duty it shall be to frame, report and submit such Charter, in case of a majority of the qualified voters at said election shall vote in favor of the proposition, to choose a Commission to frame such Charter.

Section 3. That the following shall be the form of the ballot to be used in determining the questions provided for in the sections 1 and 2 hereof, at said election, to-wit:

"FOR THE CHOOSING OF A COMMISSION TO FRAME A CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS".

"AGAINST THE CHOOSING OF A COMMISSION TO FRAME A CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS."

Provided that if any person or persons shall desire to become a candidate or to nominate any person or persons for candidates for members of the said Commission they shall file such names with the City Secretary of the City of Mexia, Texas, not later than the 14th day of March 1924 at 5 o'clock; and the names so filed shall be printed on said ballot in the appropriate blanks, following the provision for an affirmative vote. And in such case, it shall be proper and sufficient for the voter, voting for said Commission to strike out the names of persons for whom he does not desire to vote, and, it shall be proper also for such voter to add to the list of names which may be on the said ballot the names of other persons for whom he desires to vote, and, in case no name shall be printed on said ballot, as herein proviede for, the voter shall write thereon the names of those for whom he desires to vote for as members of such Commission. Provided further, that the failure of any voter to vote for as many as 15 separate persons for members of such Commission shall not invalidate his ballot.

Section 4. That the polling place for holding said election shall be the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas, and H. L. Hall shall be the presiding officer to hold said election.

Section 5. That said election shall be held under the provision of Chapter 147, Acts of the Legislature of the State of Texas of 1913, Regular Session; and all persons qualified to vote in said City, under the laws of this State, regulating general elections, shall be allowed to vote.

Section 6. That the manner of holding the said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas, regulating General Elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 7. That notice of said election shall be given by publishing this ordinance under the style: "NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION," in the Official Newspaper of said city, published in said city, for thirty (30) full days prior to the date of said election, and shall serve as legal notice of same.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia, Texas, is at the present time without a Charter, and that the public interest requires a Charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day, and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 11th day of February, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor.

Attest:
R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.
(Feb. 12 to March 17 incl)

CANDIDATES
Announcements
1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
For District Clerk—
ELLIS DICKERSON.
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS, (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.

TO WHOM THIS CONCERNS:

Effective February 21st, I have sold the Kaufman Street Grocery stock to R. B. Vanneman, and will not be responsible for any debts made by him for the account of that business. I will pay all accounts due against that business up to and including the above date, and collect all accounts due the business up to and including February the 20th.

I wish to also take this opportunity to thank each and every patron for their liberal patronage while in business here, realizing that it was only through such patronage that I have made the success that I have made while in business.

J. P. Dunaway. 2-9

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La Follette May Lead Third Party In Next Election

ST. PAUL, Minn, March 11.—A third party will be in the political field and Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin may lead it, Henry C. Tiegen, secretary to Senator Magnus Johnson of Minnesota, announced today. The decision to entre a third party was made at a conference here of farmer-labor and progressive groups from eight States.

The time, place and method of representation probably will be decide- date today, Tiegen said.

Whites Donate Fund to Defend Houston Negro

HOUSTON, Texas, March 11.—A collection was being made up here today for a reward for William Brooks, negro breakman, who shot Ed Williams, another negro, when the latter attacked J. M. Davis, street car conductor, with a knife in an argument over a transfer.

Williams died last night from his wounds. Brooks must stand trial for murder although his trial is expected to be only a formality and that he will be released.

TYLER NEGRO TO GO TO ELECTRIC CHAIR

TYLER, Texas, March 11.—Tommy Curry, negro, sentenced to die in the electric chair here yesterday for the murder of his mother, will be taken to Huntsville State penitentiary tonight.

TRAINING CAMP NOTES.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—"Sixty homers for me this season and the batting championship with them," Babe Ruth announced as his ambition when he arrived at the Yankee training camp. "The flu took me down to 218 and I'm not going to tak off any more. I was too light to sock good list year," he said.

CATALINA ISLAND, Cal.—Pilot Killefer returned his Cubs to headquarters here today.

BRADENTOWN, Fla.—The Card's line-up for the first exhibition game with Brooklyn here today was, Blades, if; Douthit, cf; Hornsby, 2b; Muller, rf; Bell, 3b; Freigau, lb; Lavan, ss; Vick, c; Haines, p.

MOBILE, Ala. The Browns shivered through their two hour practice, McManus' arm, injured in the last game of 1923,has healed well, he said, after trying it.

ORLANDO, Fla.—Pete Donohue, Texas pitcher, surprised Jack Hendricks, temporary manager of the Reds Monday in cutting loos with some real pitching. Pete showed dazzling form. The Reds rested today as Pat Moran, their late leader, was buried at Fitchburg, Mass.

CLEARWATER, Fla.—Manager Wilbert Robinson and his Brooklyn Robins journeyed to Bradentown today to engage in their first game of the season against the St. Louis Cards The Robins will start a team of rookies.

LAKE LAND, Fla.—The Indians had a brisk work out here yesterday. Stan Covleski, whose arm went bad last season, was whipping 'em over with the old time zip.

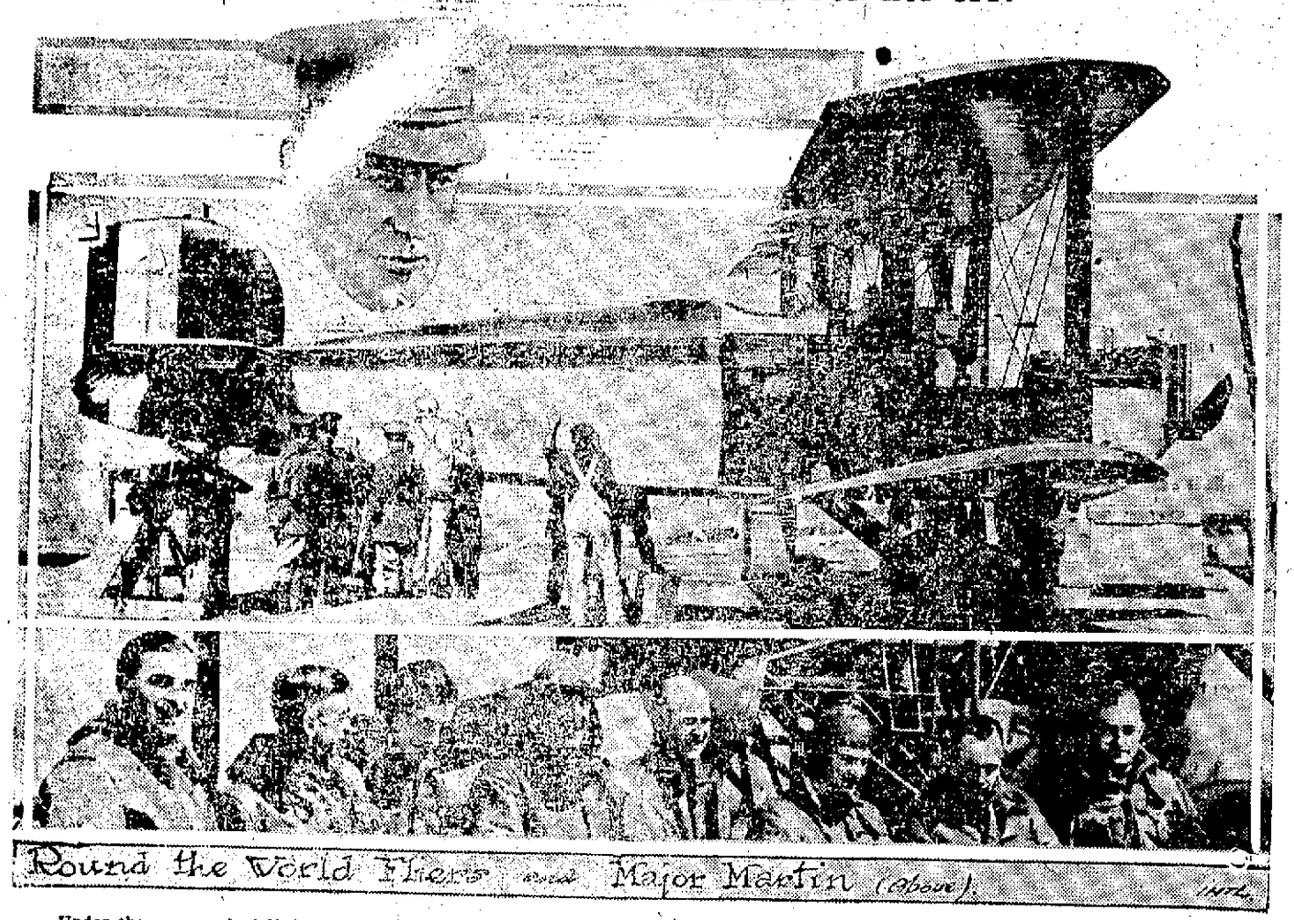
ST. PETERSBURGH, Fla.—Christy Mathewson, president of the Braves, wired Frank Gibson, young catcher, to report at once or let the club know what is wrong. The Braves will bet into first action of the season Thursday against the St. Louis Cardinals.

AUGUSTA, Ga.—The Tigers squad, after their rest on Sunday missed another workout when cold winds followed heavy rains and kept Ty Cobb's proteges indoors.

SAN ANTONIO.—Five rookies had the knife dropped on them at the Red Sox training camp. Bill Piercy, one of the regular pitchers, has failed to show up and no one has heard from him.

WINTERHAVEN, Fla.—Sib Falk of the White Sox, rebelled at the decision of Coach Johnny Evers that he was to be given a chance to "come back" as a pitcher.

'ROUND THE WORLD FLYERS SET FOR HOP OFF.



'Round the World Flyers and Major Martin (above).

Under the command of Major Martin, Air Service, U. S. Army, these aviators are all set to hop off on March 15 from Santa Monica, Cal., for a flight around the world. They will use specially constructed Douglass cruisers, which were assembled at Santa Monica. The 'round-the-world flyers, shown in the special fur-lined suits they will wear, are, left to right: Sergeant Ogden, Sergeant A. H. Turner, Sergeant A. S. Hardy, Major Martin, Lieutenant E. K. Nelson, Lieutenant Leigh Wade, Lieutenant L. P. Arnold and Captain Lowell Smith.

MADALENA BEENE.

Madalena Beene, age 21 years, died February 22. She had only been sick one week, having measles. Her home was in the Shiloh community. She leaves father, mother, four sisters besides a host of relatives and friends.

She was very intelligent and sweet an dloved by all who knew her. She was so devoted to her family and loved ones and an inspiration to her companions and oh, how they all miss her in every way.

Although God knoweth best, but we do not understand why we have to give up our loved ones, but should prepare to meet them some day.

All was done that could be to restore her to health again but to no avail.

The family and those who mourn her loss have the sympathy of their many friends and may God bless each and every one and help them to bear the loss of this dear girl.

A FRIEND.

SAWYER.

Lester Eugene Sawyer, age eight months, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sawyer, died at the home of its parents, of pneumonia Sunday morning at 5:00 o'clock. Funeral services were held from the home on Brooks street at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Rev. W. B. Andrews officiating. Burial took place in the city cemetery.

Little Eugen had been sick about three weeks prior to his death.

The John R. Corley Undertaking Company had charge of the funeral arrangements.

The News joins the many friends of the family in extending the hand of sympathy in this sad hour, when the little flower in their home has faded and points them to that eternal shore where the little one is now in the arms of Him who said "Suffer little children to come unto me, for of such, is the Kingdom of Heaven."

The Malays for centuries have domesticated monkeys and have trained them to climb cocanut trees and pick the nuts.

Too Late to Classify

LOST—Elgin wrist watch, initialed G. L. H. Reward for return. Mrs. J. H. Holloway, box 772. 11D9

MME. LE BLANC CONDUCTS LOVE CLINIC.

Georgette Le Blanc's Love Clinic

Mme. Georgette LeBlanc, for seventeen years the wife of Maurice Maeterlinck, the famous Belgian poet, who divorced her for a younger woman, has opened a love clinic in New York City, and is shown here with two of her patients. She has devised a test which, she says, will determine real love from spurious.

Local News

Vivian Heckman, of Waco, was a Mexia visitor Monday.

G. P. Porter of Kosse was in the city Monday.

Thomas W. Currie was here Sunday fro Austin.

Oscar H. Sanders of Waco was here Monday.

L. L. Kirk was here from Waco Monday.

John H. Burma, of Waxahachie was a Mexia visitor Sunday

B. M. Harrison was here Sunday from Childress.

D. E. Eason of Waco was in the city Sunday.

J. F. Maddox, Oscar Robinson and J. R. Copeland attended the fat stock show in Fort Worth Tuesday.

The day population of the Woolworth building in New York is 14,000.

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AMERICAN SLAIN BY OBREGON'S SOLDIERS

Muscle Shoals Has All Night Celebration

Ladies Call City Beautification Mass Meeting

Ford Refuses To Comment After Measure Is Passed

DETROIT, Mich., March 11.—Henry Ford today declared he preferred not to make any comment on the victory of the McKenzie Buscle Shoals bill in the House.

The automobile manufacturer indicated that he probably would have nothing to say until the bill has been acted upon by the Senate.

Any announcement of his plans now, he feels, would be premature.

FLORENCE, Ala., March 11.—A celebration here which lasted throughout the night greeted the news that the House of Representatives had approved the offer of Henry Ford for Muscle Shoals.

"Ford is coming," was the message flashed up and down the Tennessee Valley and started the celebration in Florence, Decatur, Sheffield and Huntsville.

During the long debate on the McKenzie bill which turns the Shoals over to Ford, the people living in the valley, fille dthe newspaper offices, waiting and hoping for news of favorable action.

Every one was confident that the coming of Ford to Florence would change the quite little Alabama town into a humming industrial center, would bring wealth, business and prosperity to the community. Everyone was smiling and optimistic.

Extra Features To Be Heard At Band Entertainm't

Miss Dorotry DuMars from Houston, exceptional singer and piano player, will make the annual spring tour with the Longhorn Band and Premier Entertainers, Marcr 18 to 25. Contracts rave been signed for the University oganization to appear in Mexia on Marcr 21tr at tre Opera House, wrere Miss DuMars wlil be one of the special features on the program.

Miss DuMars with Jay Bird Thomas of Austin, the wonderful boy singer only thirteen years of age, never failed to bring rown the house with their delightfihl play "One Wonderful Night" which was presented on the last tour.

Before coming to the University, Miss DuMars had several years experience on the stage. She is a musician of unusual ability, and had appeared in concert give nat the University and at other schools.

Jay Bird Thomas, who played opposite Miss DuMarrs, on the program last year, gained fame two years ago when the young singer was carried to Washington and San Francisco by the Austin Shriners. For three years, the playing of Miss DuMars highly versatile nature and the singing of the boy has capitvated the audience where ever the Varsity oragnization has shown.

One Killed; Four Hurt In Wreck

BURLINGTON, Vermont, March 11.—One was killed and a score were injured when five cars of the Boston-Montreal Express, traveling over the Central Vermont Railroad, left the tracks near here. The coaches left the track and fell into a swamp. A relief train brought the injured to hospitals at Burlington.

TELLS OF ATTACK ON LINER.

WALTER T. CANDLER & MRS. CLYDE BYFIELD

The trial of the $100,000 suit against Walter T. Candler, son of the multi-millionaire coca cola king, of Atlanta, Ga., brought by the beautiful Mrs. Clyde K. Byfield, is under way in Decatur, Ga. The suit grew out of a trip across the ocean on the liner Berengaria, taken by Mrs. Byfield and her husband and Candler and his two children. Mrs. Byfield told the jury she had been attacked in her stateroom by Candler.

Groesbeck Girl Is To Be On Beauty Pages of Cactus

AUSTIN, Texas, March 11.—After the first elimination thirty of the prettiest girls of the University of Texas are now eligible for selection as Bluebonnet Belles in the beauty section of the 1924 Cactus, yearbook of the school. There were 75 girls originally selected by the co-eds themselves voting on the various dormitory and sorority groups. The Cactus editors limited the number to thirty, and from the photographs submitted the final selection will be made by an impartial authority.

The thirty girls chosen are the following: Aline Burns, Gamma Phi Beta, of Austin; Josephine Bennett, Alpha Phi, of Austin; Helen Files, Chi Omega, of Shreveport, La.; Gertrude Murray, Delta Delta Delta and Scottish Rite dormitory, of Floresville; Natalie Werner, Chi Omega, of Palestine; Judith Porter, Phi Mu, of Dallas; Mary Frances McAskill, Alpha Delta Pi, of San Antonio; Mae Glidden, Zeta Tau Alpha, of Austin; Jane Seiser, Kappa Kappa Gamma, of San Antonio; Dorothy Mansell, Kappa Alpha Theta, of Austin; Elizabeth Smith Kappa Delta, of Austin; Marion Ball, Pi Beta Phi, of San Antonio; Eloise Carr, Kappa Kappa Gamma, of San Antonio; Margaret Miller, Delta Delta of Austin; Frances Kinball, Kappa Kappa Gamma, of Palestine; Emily Anderson, Scottish Rite dormitory, of Goldthwaite; Elsa Erler, Gamma Phi Beta, of San Antonio; Eleanor Thompson, Alpha Phi and Woman's building, of Witchita Falls; Hazel Bennett, Chi Omega, of Dallas; Josephine Hodgson Kappa Kappa Gamma, of Fort Worth; Simona Wofford, Phi Beta Phi, of San Antonio; Johnnie Lee Noble, Woman's building, of Palestine; Agnes Terrell, Pi eBta Phi, of San Antonio; Rosamond Blackman, Scottish Rite dormitory, of Groesbeck; Marion Bone, Pi Beta Phi, of Beaumont; Zetta Alonso, Pi Beta Phi, of Austin; Martha Horton, Grace Hall, of Northville, Mich.; Martha Ann Robertson, Newman Hall, of San Antonio, Stella Slade, Kappa Alpha Theta, of Dallas.

GAINESVILLE, Texas, March 11.—Mrs. L. R. Fuller is in a critical condition at a local hospital after giving bizth to triplets. The infants, a six-pound boy and two girls weighing five pounds each, are howling and healthy. The woman's husband is a bricklayer.

A. E. Payne of Corsicana was in the city Sunday.

Chicagoans Favor Modification Of The Volstead Act

CHICAGO, March, 11.—A complete tabulation of the votes cast in the Radio poll on prohibition here showed that thirty-four thousand one hundred and eighty persons favored modification of the Volstead law and twelve thousand four hundred and eighty-three opposed the modification. Persons from all sections of the United States voted and Radio officials announced that every state gave a majority for the modification.

DALLAS, Texas, March 11.—Two persons were shot by the same bullet when R. Haught, cleaning his pistol, accidentally fired the gun. Leona Blair was shot in the right ankle. Passing through, the bullet hit J. B. Jones in the left thigh. Both are expected to recover.

Neff Is Asked To Seek Aid Of The U.S.

AUSTIN, March 11.—A report that E. C. Stephens, an American citizen, was slain by Mexican Government troops near Parral, Mexico, on March 9th, was received here today by Governor Neff. Neff said that he received a telegram from a Texan residing at Parral stating that Stephens was killed and appealing that the Governor urge the Federal Government to take steps to protect Americans in Mexico from Mexican Government troops as well as bandits.

Oil Committee Probes Fall's Private Mail

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The Senate Oil Committee searched thru a new batch of telegrams in executive session today, tracing additional facts to show the ramifilations of the Albert B. Fall relations and other principals in the oil scandals. The committee studied the messages which passed between Fall and his associates while Fall was at his ranch at Three Rivers, New Mexico. The messages included those addressed to Harry F. Sinclair, J. W. Zevely, H. M. Blackmer President of the Midwest Refining Company, and Robert Stewart, President of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Murphy of Houston spent Monday in Mexia, on their way to Fort Worth to attend the fat stock show. Mr. Murphy is vice president and general manager of the Farrar Lumber company.

W. P. Stewart of Forest Glade community, one of the most enterprising and successful farmers of this community, was a pleasant visitor to The Mexia News today, renewing his subscription for another year.

Prof. J. W. Reid of Canyon, former principal of the Mexia school, visited the family of Judge W. M. White here Sunday.

CHOSEN WELLESLEY'S PRETTIEST GIRL.

Miss Genevieve Smith

Miss Genevieve Smith, of Detroit, Mich., has been selected as the prettiest senior student in Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., and will lead the Tree Day exercises there.

Brookhart Asks Broader Powers

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Senator Brookhart today asked the Senate to broaden the powers of the Daugherty investigating committee by permitting its members to go anywhere in the United States to issue subpoenas and take testimony. He introduced a resolution to this effect.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—"Good bye and God Bless You." Secretary of Navy Denby told employees in the naval department when he left office and retired to private life. The message was broadcast to every ship at sea and to all American naval stations throughout the world.

Two Killed When Car Is Hit By Frisco Passenger

ATLUS, Ok., March 11.—Two persons wer ikilled and four injured two seriously when a Frisco passenger train demolished their automobile at a grade crossing near here late yesterday.

The dead:

Mrs. W. W. Wallace, 50, and a six months old infant.

The injured:

W. W. Wallace, 50, husband of the dead woman; Willard Wallace, 25, Mrs. Willard Wallace, 19, and their 5 year old son. All were from Altus.

President Urges 25 Per Cent Cut In Income Taxes

WASHINGTON, March 11.—President Coolidge sent Congress a message urging the immediate adoption of the resolution for twenty-five percent reduction in 1923 income taxes payable this year. The adoption of the resolution is believed impossible by congressional leaders because of widespread opposition from Democrats and some Republicans.

TODAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

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Station WBB, Atlanta (429 meters) 8 ot 11:45 p.m. (G. S. T.) Annual ball and celebration of the Atlanta Federation of Musicians.

KGO, Oakland, Cal., (312 meters) 8 p. m. (Pacific Coast Standard Time) Radio drama, "The Intimate Strangers," by Booth Tarkington.

WJX, New York (455 meters) 8:30 p. m. (E. S. T.) Concert of the American Orchestral Society.

WGY, Schenectady (380 meters) 7:45 p. m. (E. S. T.) Minstrel show by the Georgia Minstrel Boys.

WDAF, Kansas City (411 mettrs) 11:45 p. m. (C. S. T.) The Knight Hawk Frolic for early morning radio fans.

All The Ladies Of Mexia Are Invited To Gathering

The Federation Committee of the Ladies Friday club has called a mass meeting of all ladies of the city to gather at the Mexia Public Library Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

The purpose of the meeting will be to lay plans for a general Mexia wide campaign of city beautification.

The District meeting of Federated Women's clubs will meet in Mexia the 3rd of April and the ladies of the Friday club are vary anxious that the city show up to the best advantage on the dates when women and leaders in club work all over the state will gather here in their annual district meeting.

The meeting is to be held at 4:00 o'clock and all the ladies of the city, whether members of any clubs or not, are urged to be present. The results will not only prove beneficial in beautifying Mexia but will serve to make it a healthier and better place in which to live and grow.

NEW SECRETARY OF THE NAVY EN ROUTE TO CAPITOL

By A. L. BRADFORD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The new secretary of the navy—whoever he may be—is reported enroute to Washington today for a conference with President oolidge.

The President is said to have made up his own mind, but there has been no final decision because the offer has not yet been finally made or accepted.

The two men whose names are now most prominently mentioned in the gossip are Governor Joseph M. Dixon of Montana and Curtis Dwight Wilbur, chief justice of the California Supreme Court and a graduate of the United States Naval Academy.

Identity of Man Found Dead At Teague Unknown

TEAGUE, Texas, March 11.—Authorities today had not yet definitely identified the body of a man about 50 years old who was found dead in the T. & B. V. freight depot here yesterday.

A small Testament with the name T. H. Prindle, was found on the body. On the inside coat pocket and the belt buckle were the initials L. B. D.

The man was shabbily dressed and evidently in straitened circumstances. Death was from natural causes.

CAR OWNER HAS TIRE STOLEN DURING SERMON ON TEXT ON STEALING

LUFKIN, Texas, March 11.—As Rev. E. F. Adams expounded his text "Thou Shalt Not Steal," a thief removed a new tire and motormeter from the car of a member of the congregation.

J. D. Hunt, of Waco was a Mexia visitor Sunday.

R. L. Maddox is in Western Texas this week on a business and pleasure mission.

Two Farmers Killed In Accidents Same Day In Colorado, Texas

COLORADO, Texas, March 11.—Two farmers were accidentally killed here today. C. B. Sterling was killed when the automobile which he was driving crashed through the railing of the Colorado Bridge and toppled over the embankment. W. H. Porter was killed when he fell from the top of a load of feed which he was hauling to town and struck the pavement breaking his neck.

Mutiny Of Irish Reported General

DUBLIN, March 11.—The mutiny of the Irish army is general according to advices received here. The big barracks at Tipperary have been deserted by officers and men who decamped with rifles and ammunition.

Ministers of Commerce and Industry McGrath has resigned because of dissatisfaction with the Government's plany of army organization, it is reported.

PARIS, Texas, March 11.—Mattie Alexander, negro woman, was shot and killed here by Sterling Stephenson, negro, who then tried to kill himself. The first bullet glanced off his head, and a second missed its mark. He is held in local jail charged with murder.

NEW YORK, March 11.—E. L. Doheny in denying that he aided a revolution in Mexico, said he loaned the Obregon government five million dollars "which enabled it to put down the revolt."

WATCH MEXIA GROW

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Prickett are happy today because of the arrival at 7:30 a. m. Monday a fine 8½ pound baby boy. Congratulations are generously extended.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight increasing cloudiness. Wednesday warmer with unsettled conditions and local rains. Warmer in the east portion.

West Texas—Tonight and Wednesday unsettled. Probably rain in the southeast and rain or snow in the north. Warmer tonight.

Mrs. Rome Rust will entertain the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home this week.

Exoneration Or Expulsion Asked

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Exoneration or expulsion from the House was demanded by Representative Zihlman, of Maryland, whose name was mentioned in connection with charges against two Congressmen recently before the Chicago Grand Jury. "The House should either exonerate me or expell me," Zihlman said while his colleagues cheered. He spoke against the Judiciary Committee's resolution to turn the whole matter over to Attorney General Daugherty.

DALLAS, Texas, March 11.—Sam Fowlkes secretary of the Retail Merchants' association of Dallas, has been made district governor of District Eight, including Oklahoma, Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana.

SPUR, Texas, March 11.—The Spur Inn, picturesque Texas hostelry, was levelled by fire of undetermined origin. The loss was approximately $50,000.

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LET'S HEAR FROM THE CANDIDATES

Within the next few days, Mexia citizens will go to the polls and vote on fifteen citizens to form a charter commission to frame a charter for the City of Mexia. There are thirty names on the list to be voted on. Some are ladies. The others are gentlemen. Their selection will be for a purpose. That purpose will be to draft the charter for the acceptance or rejection of the voters of Mexia. ThTe supposition is that some of those named to be voted on do not favor a new charter.

If that is the case, then the public should know about it at the very outset.

That being true and also since the public has a right to be informed as to the principles held in mind by the candidates, and also since the time for filing new names is past, it would be well for the respective individuals, as a group or individually, to state frankly their attitude on a new charter and their views regarding the neds of Mexia in this particular.

It is a season when thinking men and women should be informed on this very important matter. The heat of personal prejudices should not enter the campaign.

The elections are called and to be called for the good of Mexia. If no change for the better is to result, then it would have been far better never to have called the citizens to the ballot box. The people of Mexia will do the right thing, if not blind as to the things that the candidates to be voted on stand for. Only the candidates can help them solve the problem.

Mexican rebels are getting active along certain sections of the Mexican border again but they would do well to bear one fact in mind before they start robbing and killing Americans. It will not be long before the Democrats will be in control of the administration.

Mexia may have some faults, but none of the candidates for the Charter Commission have been connected with the Tea Pot Dome scandal.

The higher up a man goes in a public trust the lower he falls when he violates that trust.

BEWARE OF IMPETUOUSITY AND "SWEATY HASTE"

(The Dalias News)

For ye shall not go out with haste, nor by flight—Isaiah lii, 12.

The nervous, fretful, restless, impatient and impetuous man is an enemy to himself and a nuisance, if not a menace, to others.

Such a one is invariably erratic and therefore not dependable. Often his intentions are the best, but his over-quick decision not infrequently defeats his purpose. It is not altogether his fault, but his misfortune. He can best overcome his deficiencies in the same way that moral and spiritual imperfections are overcome—by an abiding faith in Him who is his examplar in all things.

The state of mind of such a man affects his health as well as his peace and happiness. It manifests an erratic condition which indicates instability and double-mindedness; and we are told very truly that "A double-minded man is unstable in all his ways."

Careful, constant and continuous efforts painstakingly expended is in every way more economic, serene and satisfactory as to peace and happiness, as well as more profitable otherwise, than hasty, impulsive and necessarily spasmodic efforts. Careful planning, thoughtful preparation and systematic and persistent endeavor accomplish wonders where haste and intermittent attempts not only fail, but discourage and dispirit those most interested.

Not only is there waste and disappointment in all this "sweaty haste" but it is always dangerous. This accounts in large measure for many accidents in which there is maiming or loss of life. It is a sad commentary on one's thoughtfulness to see him go about his ordinary business affairs as if he were rushing to the rescue of some one from death.

The nervous, fidgety, impulsive man is a discordant note in the symphony of life.

He is a jazz performer with an untuned instrument in an orchestra of artists rendering a program of classical masterpieces.

He is a disturbing factor in every enterprise.

He who without a serene and well founded hope, who does not have his faith fixed in a spiritual way, can not have that serenity, that calm self-poise which are characteristic of greatness and evidence of a well-grounded faith. He is fretful, and the fretful man is always unhappy. Not only so, but he makes those about him unhappy. He keeps them constantly anticipating some quick, wild movement or exclamation calculated to upset the tranquility and peace of the occasion.

A natural, inevitable and terrible effect of haste, fear, inconsiderateness and confusion is anger, as well as disappointment, because of the lack of desired results.

Patience, calmness, confidence and self-poise add a charm to personality which nothing else can in any degree approach. It not only makes tranquil the life of him who possesses these virtues, but they give confidence and hopefulness to those with whom he comes into contact. They feel a safety and contentment in his presence which they can not find elsewhere.

God help and pity the nervous, restless, hurrying, impulsive, fidgety, dissatisfied and fearful individual. He burns enough mental and physical energy to accomplish wonders were it wisely expended.

It's an awful thing, this "sweaty haste."

"Hope thou in God."

FAREWELL BUT NOT FOREVER

"In loving remembrance of our dear brother and son, J. H. Wheat, who died at his home in Hemphill on Saturday, Oct. 6th at 6:35 a. m."

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.
God in his wisdom had recalled
The bobn his live had given,
And though the body slumbers here
The soul is safe in Heaven.

The image of thy loving face
Whose radiance cheered us on life's way,
Shall live in memory's fond embrace,
As long as reason holds her sway.
The joys and hopes and smiles and tears
The shadows of those passing years,
The days and weeks and months
But seem the fragrance of a happy dream.

There is no death. An angel form
Walks o'er the earth with silent tread
And tears our best loved things away.
And then we call them "dead".
He leaves our hearts all desolate,
He plucks our fairest, sweetest flowers,
Transplanted into bliss, they now
Adorn immortal bowers.

Peaceful be thy silent slumber,
Peaceful in thy grave so low,
Thou no more will join our number,
Thou no more our sorrows know.
Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life is fled,
And in Heaven with joy to greet thee
Where no farewell tears are shed.

Call not back the dear departed,
Anchored safe where storms are o'er,
On the border land we left him,
Soon to meet and part no more.
When we leave this world of changes,
When we leave this world of care,
We shall find our missing loved ones,
In our fathers mansion fair.

Farewell, dear brother, but not forever,
There will be a glorious Dawn,
We shall meet to part—no never—
On the resurrection morn.
Tho' thy darling form lies sleeping
In the cold and silent tomb,
Thou shall have a glorious waking
When the blessed Lord doth come.

(Mrs. Geo. W. Hyson, Miss Elba and Gloria Wheat, sisters, of Mexia, and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wheat, parents, of Woodville, Texas.)

WHAT I OWE TO THE MASONS OF TEXAS

By ELIZABETH GILSON,
Tenth Grade, Masonic Home School

(Editor's Note—Following is the prize winning essay on the subject under which it is written. The prize was in cash and was given by Hon. Wilmot Odell. The author is a student of the Masonic Home at Fort Worth.)

Abraham Lincoln once said, "All that I am and all that I hope to be I owe to my mother." In like manner I may say, "All that I am and all that I hope to be I owe to you, Masons of Texas." You have given me a home. By this, I mean all that the word "home" typifies— the necessities of life; the pleasures of life; and kindness, goodfellowship and love. You are giving me an education—not just the ordinary courses taught in a public school, not just vocational courses, but an education received from the meeting, association with and knowing of good people. You have made it possible for me to learn of some of the best things of life. For all this I am indebted to you and, as a true Masonic daughter, it is my duty to try and repay you; for, as Emerson in his essay on "Compensation" says, "Hhe is base—and that is the one base thing in the universe—to receive favors and render none." I realize that to pay in silver and gold would be very nearly impossible, because you have given me more than just material things. However, I can repay you in something far better and more lasting than coin—good deeds.

While I am in school these deeds assume the form of my taking advantage of all opportunities that are offered me to fit myself physically, mentally and morally for my life after I leave school. By taking part in the athletics and by doing as I am told in regard to caring for my body, I fit myself physically for a useful lift. By studying the lessons and performing the tasks assigned me, I learn not only what is set forth in so many words on the printed page, but also lessons of honesty, truthfulness, and determination. In learning through the sermons I hear and through the lessons taught by my teachers, all I can of Christ and His life, I fit myself for a true, upright and morally good life.

While I am in school my means of expressing my gratitude are limited, but later I will be afforded numerous ways. By living a life that will be a joy and pride to my community, my friends and to you, my benefactors, I shall show that I really appreciate what you have done for me. By aiding others as I have been helped, I return payment to you. Christ taught that through our befriending our fellow men we befriend Him, so through helping others as I have been helped I repay you.

In conclusion let me say that I shall
"Count that day lost whose
low descending sun
Views from my hand no
worthy action done."

Fifty-six and one-half per cent of cargo moved thru the Panama canal last year was in United States ships.

Justices of the peace and their bailiffs patrol the highways in Florida in automobiles, forming "rolling courts."

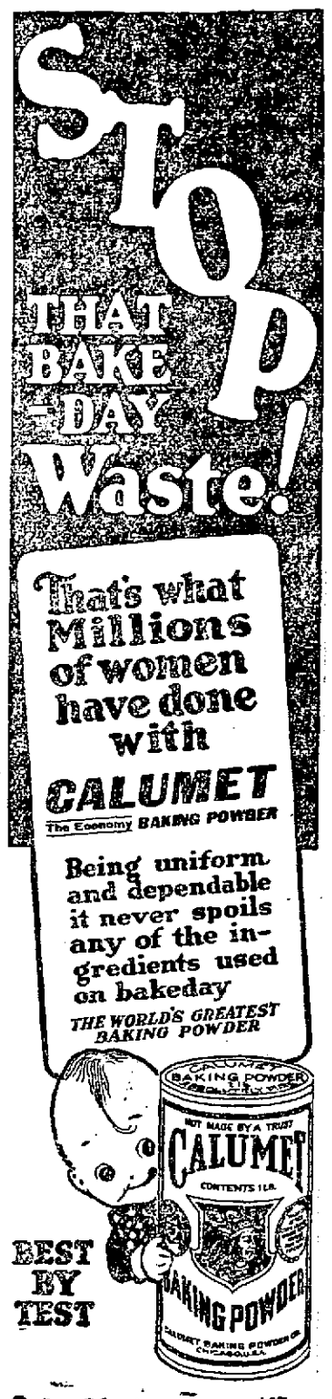
Acid In Stomach Sours the Food

SAYS EXCESS OF HYDROCHLORIC ACID IS CAUSE OF INDIGESTION.

A well known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion are nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation; then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases, which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tell us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief often follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salts is used by thousands of stomach sufferers with excellent results. —(Adv.)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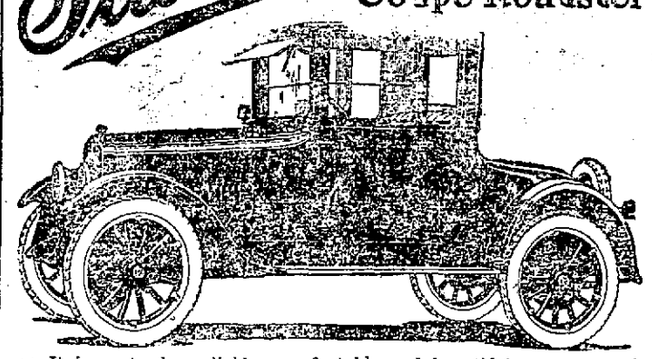

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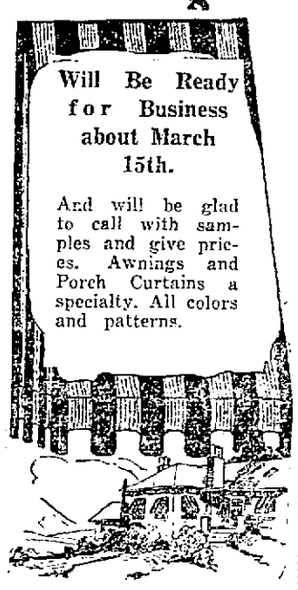
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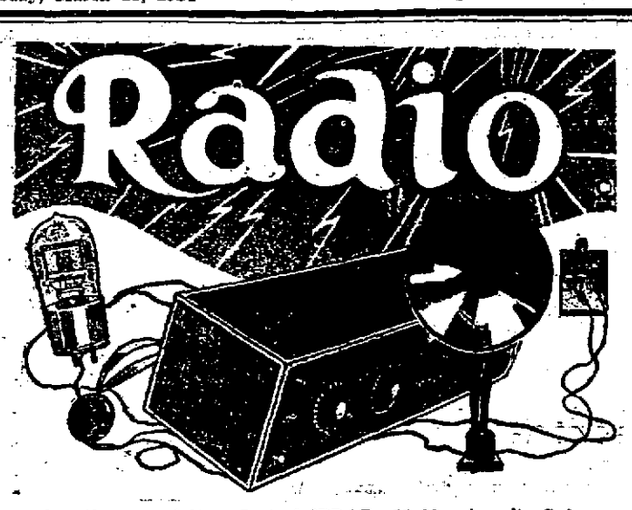

Tune in time tonight, Central Standard time.

5:00 to 6:00 P. M.

KDKA—5:15: Dinner Concert.

KFSD—5:30: Special music and readings for shut-ins.

WCAE—5:30: Dinner concert—Willam Penn Hotel.

WFI—5:00: Sunny Jim, the kiddies pal.

WGY—5:30: Dinner music, instrumental trio of Hotel TenEYECK.

WIP—505: Dick Regan symphony orchesrta.

6:00 to 7:00 P. M.

KDKA—7:00: Radio girl scout meeting; 8:30 Merbert Rotan, violinist.

KPO—6:30: Rudy Siegers orchestra.

WCAE—6:30: Uncle "Kaybee;" 6:45 Lou Kennedy, popular singer.

WDAF—6:00: Varied program of music and addresses.

WGY—6:45: Georgia minstrel boys

WIP—6:00: Uncle Wip's bed time stories.

WJAX—6:30: Bed time story; selected numbers by the Cleveland Zither club.

WOAW—6:30: Dinner program Carl Lamp's orchestra.

7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

WBAP—7:30: Concert, Texas Woman's College.

WCAE—7:30: Harmonyland Entertainers.

WDAP—7:00: Rate concert ensemble and Blackstone stringed quintet.

WHAS—7:30: Al Gorman's novelty orchestra.

8:00 to 9:00 P. M.

KSD—8:00: Mrs. Evelyn D. Fraley and others; song program.

WDAP—8:00: Barton organ played by Ralph Emerson.

WFAA—8:30: Trio club of Dallas.

WMC—8:30: Concert, Mrs. Ed Neal and other artists.

WOS—8:20: Old time fiddlers trio.

9:00 to 10:00 P. M.

WBAP—9:30: Concert Municipal Band of Slaton.

WFI—9:10: Charlie Cur orchestra

WIP—9:15: Ted Weems orchestra.

WSB—9:00: Annual ball and celebration—Atlanta federation of musicians.

10:00 to 11:00 P. M.

WDAP—10:00: Jack Chapman's orchestra.

WJAZ—10:00: Oriole orchestra and others in song selections.

WSB—10:45: Finale of annual ball and celebratino.

11:00 to 12:00 P. M.

KSD—11:30: Mrs. Caroll Smith, soprano; Agnes Gray, violinist.

WDAF—11:45: Night Hawk Frolic

WDAR—11:30: Arcadia Cafe concert orchestra.

WFAA—11:00 Circular Theatre orchestra.

WMC—11:00: Midnight frolic.

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KFSG—Los Angeles, Cal.
KOP—San Francisco, Cal.
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WCAE—Pittsburgh, Penn.
WDAF—Kansas City, Mo.
WDAP—Chicago, Ill.
WDAR—Philadelphia, Penn.
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WMC—Memphis, Tenn.
WOAW—Omaha, Neb.
WOS—Jefferson City, Mo.
WSB—Atlanta, Ga.

MISS ELLEN BRODNAX CELEBRATES BRITHDAY

Little Miss Ellen Brodnax, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cox Brodnax, celebrated her 5th birthday Monday and was host to a number of her little friends. Needless to say that the little tots all enjoyed the party and will look forward to a year hence when Miss Ellen will be six years old.

Better Take a Detour.

(From the Indianapolis Star)

"Way Paved for Third Party," says a headline. But it will be filled with political chuck holes.

Three thousand merchant vessels fly the Japanses flag.

Wide Distribution Of Studebaker's Stock Is Planned

Directors of the Studebaker Corporation, South Bend, Indiana, have called a special meeting of stockholders April first to approve an increase of capital from $75,000,000 stock of $100 par to 2,500,000 shares on par and to distribute two and one-half shares for each present share.

The call for the meeting followed a special session of the directorate in South Bend. The stockholders will meet at Jersey City, N. J. It is proposed to place the new stock on a $4 basis.

Immediately after the close of the meeting of the directors A. R. Erskine, president of the Studebaker Corporation, issued the following statement:

"A special meeting of the stockholders of the Studebaker Corporation has been called at Jersey City, N. J., April 1, by the directors who held a special meeting at South Bend, to approve their recommendation that the charter of the corporation be amended to change the character of the outstanding common stock from $100 par value to $40 no par value, which would mean that present, common stockholders would receive two and one-half shares of new stock for each share of old stock now outstanding.

"It is intended to increase the authorized common capital stock to 2,500,000 shares, although only 1,875,000 shares will be needed to retire the present outstanding common stock of 750,000 shares. The remaining 625,000 shares of new stock will not be issued at present.

"The object in reducing the stock to a $40 basis is to permit broader investment in it by Studebaker employees, dealers, and car owners, and generally to give it a wider distribution.

"Under the present 10 per cent common dividend rate, each new share of common stock will receive dividends of $1 quarterly, or $4 per annum.

"The new plan will become effective provided it is approved by the stockholders at the special meeting of April 1, as already stated.

"Stockholders are aware of difficulties attendant on a wide distribution of high priced common stocks selling in the market above $100 a share.

"While Studebaker common stock is fairly well distributed the dicertors feel that a much wider distribution among employees, dealers, car owners and investors generally will follow the splitting up of the stock and this feeling is responsible for the plan which they now recommend to the stockholders.

"Wide distribution of our stock will prove of great advantage to the corporation. Every stockholder of a corporation, no matter how small his holdings, is a friend of that corporation and will exert an influence in its behalf in his community. Other corporations in the automobile industry competing with our corporation have many more stockholders than Studebaker has and the directors desire to correct this situation.

"They believe that many more employees of the corporation in addition to the 3,000 who now own its stock, as well as thousands of car owners and dealers, will be able to buy stock in smaller units."

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Sage Tea Keeps Your Hair Dark

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks streaked, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundred-fold.

Don't stay gray. Look young! Etiher prepare the recipe at home or get from any drug store a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which is merely the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully, besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.—(Adv.)

CARD OF THANKS

We, the members of the Nairators club, wish to take this means of thanking the people of the town for their hearty co-operation in our attempt to raise funds for a worthy cause. We wish especially to thank the people who assisted our sponsor in putting on the program: Miss Mary Woodard, Miss Anne Earl, and Mrs. Krueger. We also wish to acknowledge our indebtedness to Mrs. Sam B. Werner, Mrs. Blake Smith and Blake, Jr. for the music of the evening. For other material assistance we are grateful to the business firms who advertised on our programs; to J. I. Riddle Furniture Co., for all furniture used; to Langston Furniture Co., for the rugs, which graced the stage, to The Mexia Daily News for certain publicity and to Mr. Box who gave us free advertising in both of his theatres.

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This Mandarin blouse Frock is made in a two piece effect. Beautiful embroidery on pockets, collar and short cuffs. The frock is fashioned of a fine quality green crepe and the bottom of the blouse and tiers trimmed with piping of contrasting colors.

Illustration F
This Frock is made of a very fine black crepe and is trimmed with tabs of black and white. Also unique black panels faced with white and trimmed with black and white fringe. The belt and panels are joined at the waistline with a handsome buckle.

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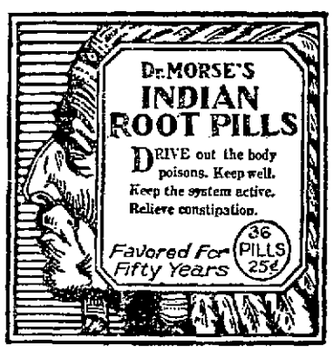

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OIL

The Simms Oil company is erecting a new derrick on the Hill, off-setting the Stroube well on the north. On the Cerf tract to the east the Tidal Oil company is erecting a derrick making No. 10 location on that tract Simms is also erecting an off-set derrick on the H. B. Boyd tract off-setting No. 5, which is now reported making about 3,000 barrels oil a day with only a few feet of sand drilled into. Showers and Peacock are drilling on a deep test on the Hill, off-setting the Hooser well. Elliott-Sparkman & Mauldin will deepen their No. 2 Hill, and will likely get big production in the deeper sands.

The Brown well of McDonald Bros. at Richland is again making oil through tubing, it is reliably reported. McDonald is drilling away on an off-set to the Godley-Allison test which is now waiting on cement to set.

The Smith-Mead well will be ready for drilling plug Monday, it was announced today.

Cranfill Bros. & Penn are to drill a test in the Bazette area beginning at an early date. The new test is to go down in the northeast corner of the Barnett 100-acres tract in the Simonton Survey. The Mutual Oil company is about reday to spud in on the Nowlin tract, and another test is going down on Purifoy tract.

Indications in oil circles now are that Navarro county is entering upon a better year for oil development than was 1923, despite the enormous development during that year. With daily production at its present height and still going up gradually, and only for a few days since the year opened that it dropped below the 100,000 barrel mark, a good start is made for a big production year.

Not only have recent developments uncovered a new deep sand below the old Woodbine, as desclosed by the deep production within the last few days, but shallow sands are to be developed over a great portion of the deep belt and other portions of the county where deep oil has not as yet been found.

Rail shipments of oil from the Millred station have been resumed by the Humble and the Atlantic companies, following the last few days big accumulated production in the oil fields.

The Trinity and Brazos Valley are parking oil tank cars at the loading racks serving the two tank farms, 1 mile south of Mildred.

The oil is being routed to refiners in South Texas. However, one train of oil started loading today for consumption in Canada. A concern in Dallas is understood to have purchased the trainload of oil for delivery at Winnipeg. It will move north over the Trinity & Brazos Valley, according to announcement.

The loading racks have been inactive for several months. New production has filled up the available storage and the rail shipments have been resumed.

DARIO

Tuesday, March 11, 8:00 p. m.

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Intimate Strangers

A play in three acts by Booth Tarkington, played by the Burnham Players, Mr. Roger Burnham in triple role.

CAST

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Florence .....Eloise Keeler
Johnny White .....Gerald Malsby
Aunt Ellen.....Mrs. Carl Rodin
Mattie.....Mrs. Neal Monroe

Instrumental Selection—Invincible America ..... Crosby
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Act I

A Railway Station on a night in April.

Note:—During this act chimes will be rung to denote the lapse of a few hours.

Instrumental Selections—
(a) Beauty's Eyes .....Tosti
(b) Serenade .....Tosti
Arion Trio

Act II

The living room at Isabelle's the nevt morning.

Instrumental Selections—
(a) Lotus Flower.....Schumann
(b) Gypsy John .....Clay
Arion Trio

Act III

The same. That evening.

Instrumental Selection—
The Regiment's Return.....Crosby
Arion Trio

THE STORY OF THE MACFADDEN PUBLICATIONS

Nearly forty years ago a young man had the idea that humanity's salvation lay in humanity's own hands—that by right living and thinking, proper food and exercise, the sick could be made well, the weak made strong and the healthy kept in a state of perpetual glowing health.

Bernarr Macfadden was this young man and the idea, which he called the Physical Culture Idea, was his only possession, for money and material things he had not. And how he was to present his great health message to the world—a message that from his own experience was tried and true—was a problem which was solved only after much careful planning. In 1898 he first presented his idea to the world in the form of a small pamphlet called "Physical Culture," at 5c a copy which made up for its lack of pages by its sincerity of purpose.

Slowly and yet surely, year after year, this little booklet grew in size, with each year a greater number of followers in its wake. Gradually people began to realize the truth of its message and now thousands of people follow its advice, practice what it preaches and reap the benefits of a physical culture life.

Strange as it may seem, True Story Magazine, with its fascinating true stories from actual lives, grew out of the Physical Culture Idea. During the years of publishing Physical Culture Magazine, readers who had learned to accept the doctrines of Bernarr Macfadden, readers who were ill in mind, in fact those whose bodily illnesses were due to what seemed to them unsolvable personal problems, were wont to write their troubles to Mr. Macfadden, hoping that he could help them straighten out their tangled lives.

These letters, from the very hearts of the writers, who were suffering untold mental misery, were always most interesting to read and invariably each contained a great moral or truth of undoubted value to humanity, that would have prevented all their misery, had they only known. Mr. Macfadden realized the value of these revelations to the public, just as he realized the importance of spreading the Physical Culture Idea, and in 1919 the first collection of these true life stories were grouped together and published under the name of "True Story Magazine."

Immediately the public took to this magazine and the tremendous growth in the past five years to a circulation of two million or more copies each month is recognized by the publishing world as being little short of miraculous.

With Physical Culture and True Story magazines firmly established, Mr. Macfadden and his associates felt that they were now in a position to supply the popular demand for other magazines in certain specialized fields

The next magazine to be produced was Movie Weekly, which is just as its name suggests, a weekly magazine of the movie world. Printed in rotogravure with plenty of splendid photographs of celebrated stars and often edited entirely by prominent stars, it has become the standard magazine of the movie fan and all others interested in happenings of the silver screen, past, present and future.

About a year later, in 1922, appeared Brain Power magazine—for those anxious to get a foothold in the ladder of success, and Beautiful Womanhood, a magazine devoted entirely to the women for the furtherance of their charm and individuality.

During this time, excellent life stories were accumulating—far more than could be used in True Story magazine alone, and this surplus of material, True Romances, rightly called a sister magazine to True Story, made its bow to an eager public.

Metropolitan Magazine became one of the Macfadden group in February, 1923. With years of unprecedented popularity, this Magazine is holding its place and becoming one of the world's greatest story magazines, whose contributors are among the best known writers of today.

Secret Is Safe

People who have been embarrased repeatedly on account of disfigured skin on their face, neck, arms and hands, caused by eczema, tetter, rash, boils, pimples, etc., are nearly always sensitive about these things to the point of feeling that every body is watching them and talking about how bad they look.

They even hesitate to ask anyone's advice about getting rid of these awful things, and for this reason the wonderful Black and White Ointment is making friends by the thousands because they can get it from their nearest dealer without a lot of explanations, and use it quickly gets rid of all those skin ruiners.

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NOTICE—

Income Taypayers

Mr. C. O. Nelson, deputy, will be in Mexia, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 10th, 11th and 12th, to assist taxpayers in making out their income tax returns. His office will be found o nthe second floor of the E. L. Smith Building. Don't forget that the current filing period for 1923 ends on the 15th.

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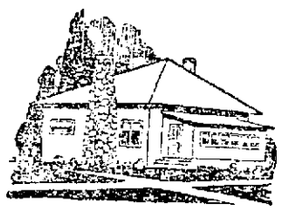

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Clarke Pleads Guilty Before Houston Judge

HOUSTON, Texas, March 10.—E. Y. Clarke, former acting Imperial Wizard of the K. K. K. pleaded guilty in Federal District Court here on a charge of violating the Mann White Slave Act. Clarke was fined $5000. The judge severely reprimanded the Klansman after Prosecuting Attorney Holden said Clarke and William Joseph Simmons visited a house of ill repute in Houston during the Confederate veterans reunion in 1920. Said Clarke met the Martin girl. That time the judge told Clarke he was not practicing what he was preaching and asked him if he was not propogating principles of purity, protection and virtue in connection with the Klan work.

Clarke is charged with having transported Miss Laura Martin, 21, Houston girl, to New Orleans for immoral purposes.

The trial today marks the third time the case has come before the court here. Twice before the case was postponed on motion of the defense

Clarke, then imperial kleagle of the Klan, is alleged to have met Miss Martin in Houston in October, 1920, while he was here on official business for the Klan.

Later he is alleged to have wired Miss Martin money and met her by appointment on Feb. 11, 1921, at the St. Charles hotel in New Orleans where they registered as man and wife.

The indictment against Clarke was returned on March 1, 1921, and Clarke made bond of $1,000 in Atlanta his home. Federal District Attorney Holden, of Houston, however, believing the bond inadequate asked the court to raise the amount and it was set for $5,000.

Clarke has made sweeping denial of the charges. Miss Martin, however, at the time the indictment was returned asserted the charges were true.

The Japanese believe in a deity (Dsisoo) presiding over roads and travelers.

Drowning was formerly a mode of capital punishment in Europe and Rome.

Ray Hairson was here Sunday from Waco.

Prospects Bright For T. A. League

MARLIN, Texas, March 10.—Prospects for the ensuing season in the Texas Association are very bright, according to A. B. Johnson of Marlin, president of the loop, and the fact that Temple has supplanted Sherman on the calendar will be a great benefit in boosting the association from a sporting proposition to a paying one, for the reason that so much expense was entailed in Sherman's long jumps from one city to another and back home as well as taking the other teams from their respective headquarters to Sherman, he said.

Mr. Johnson predicted that the Texas Association will enjoy the patronage of a Class C organization this season, due to the fact that it lies in the heart of the Texas League and includes the most densely populated section of the State. "And if we can obtain a few more thousand inhabitants in this area it is very possible that we shall be able to raise our rating from Class D to Class C," he declared.

Austin, Waco, Temple and Corsicana have all previously been members of the Texas League, Mr. Johnson pointed out, and Mexia was formerly a member of the Texas-Oklahoma League, while Marlin had a club in the old Central Texas League. This shouldl make the Texas Association one of the best Class D circuits in the entire country, he added.

The managers of all the different teams in the loop are old heads at the game, Mr. Johnson asserted. A Rankin Johnson, manager of the Temple aggregation, was pilot of the Austin team last season and is a former major leaue moundsman; Walter Alexander, pilot of the Marlin Bathers, was one time a big league backstop; Cecil Griggs, the new Austin manager, is well known in Texas League circles, Fowlkes, Mexia's new boss, was obtained from the "Kitty"; Harvey Grubb, potential Corsicana helmsman, has several years experience behind him and Otto McIver, who has charge of the destinies of the Waco Indians, managed the Sherman pennant winners last season.

Every club in the association will have players in training this week, Mr. Johnson said, and the schedule is now being prepared to open the season about April 20, continuing four months.

Sportlights

By HECK, Jr.

Old Sol is getting the weather back in line for the season of good things, the birds are warbling everything from jazz on up, the lambs are gamboling on the prairies and By Heck is all "het" up over the idea that he will soon be back out at Nowlin Park jotting down the decesions of the umps, listening to the rules and regulations as some of the players see them and best of all, drinking red soda pop, eating peanuts and ham sandwiches. That to him is the greatest lift of all lives and he sure seems sorry that it only lasts part of the year.

E. H. Poteet, high school mentor has been taking advantage of the pretty weather for the last week or two and has had all candidates for the high school baseball nine out at Nowlin Park tossing the agate around and swinging the willow. He has gathered some nice ball players from the school and hopes to present a good line up in their first game of the season which will be played at Nowlin Park Friday afternoon against the Dawson high school team. The Navarro county boys always have a nice baseball team and things should be humming around the old ball lot with them for opponents.

Coach Poteet has quite a number of men to pick from to start the initial game. He has Cox, a left hander, Mills, Clover, Karner and Bennett to use in the box with either Wayne Thompson, C. Thompson or Buford at the receiving end of the line. If Cox is used in the box it is likely that Clover will get the nomination to hold down the initial bag althought Perkinson may be used at that position. Treadway and Simmonds are being groomed to hold the keystone bag.

Buddie Storey and Maurice Robinson, the former a letter man on last years squad are fighting it out to see who will grab the short stop position and both are likely players. On the hot corner, Poteet has a veteran, playing his last year with the local squad, "Dub" Kendrick, who is one of the best little ball players ever developed at the school. Kendick is a nice fielder, handles himselif beautifully and batted a fraction over .300 last season.

In the outfield the prospects are not as bright as were expected by Poteet. Wayne Lucas, who was the best of the fly chasers last season, is not rounding into form as quickly as expected but no doubt will come around in the next few days as soon as the weather gets sure enough warm. Aulds, Maxwell, Buford and Bennett are trying for those positions in the gardens and Bennett and Buford are also working for the pitching and catching staff respectively. Wallace, although small of stature may be used some in the field as he is a fairly good batter.

Coach Poteet expects to bring home the bacon Friday and urges the town and school to give the team some backing as a ball team cannot be made with only the players working for the benefit of the town without baseball lovers getting in behind and helping them by doing a little pushing.

The first game will be with Dawson high school Friday afternoon at Nowlin Park at 3:30 o'clock sharp.

Let's play ball!

J. H. EVETTS TELLS OF TESTS IN GRIMES COUNTY

J. H. Evetts, Commercial Agent of the Southern Pacific lines, of Corsicana was here Monday on business. He stated that three rigs had been shipped from here to Grimes County for wildcat tests to be made in that county. Two of the tests are to be made near Carlos, one near Singleton and the fourth is to be made near the big gasser, the Cutrell, between Carlos and Singleton.

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NEGRO ARRESTED FOR BOOTLEGGING

Sam Jacobs, colored, was arrested Monday morning by the Constable force charged with the sale of intoxicating liquors. He was released under $500 bond. A negro, who was arrested on charge of drunkenness, revealed that he had purchased liquor from Jacobs, officers said.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hopson had as guests at dinner Sunday at the Commercial Hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jeffers and Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Harper.

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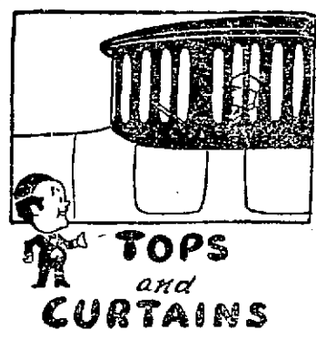

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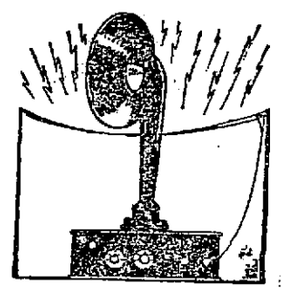

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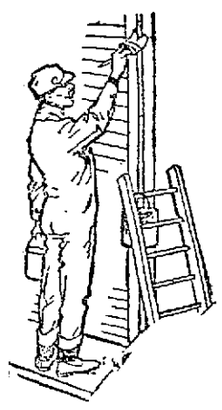

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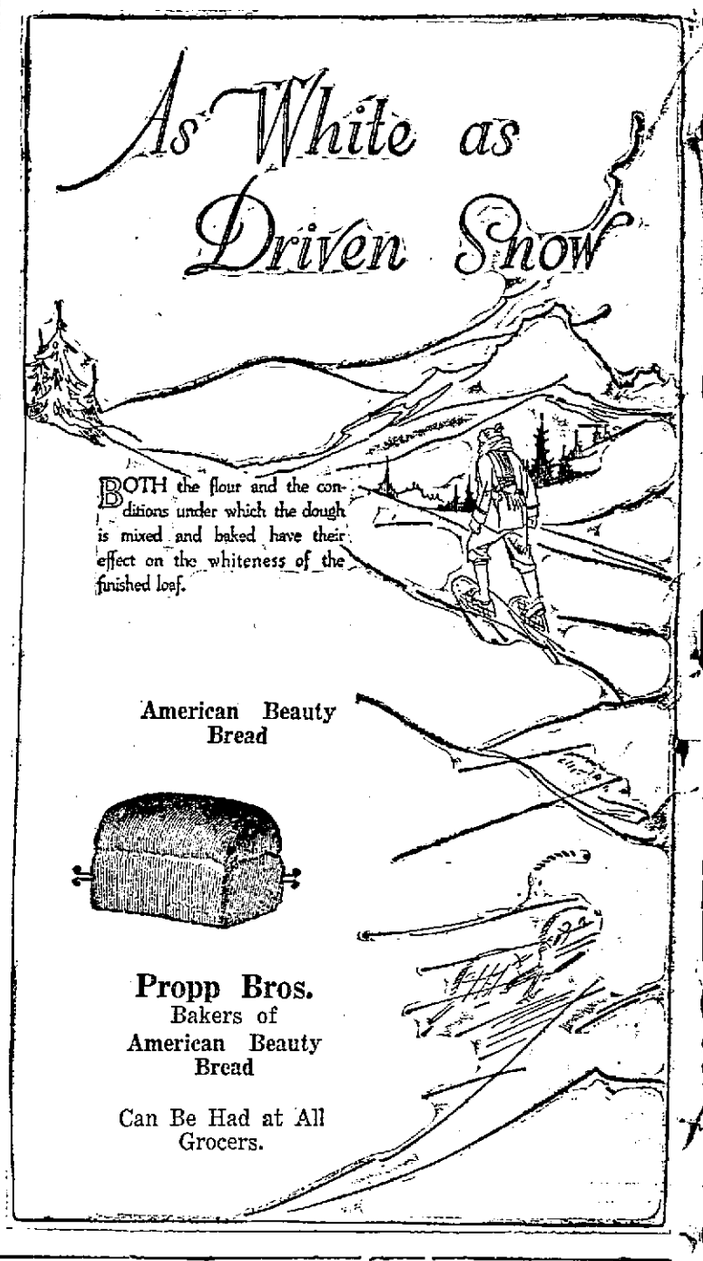

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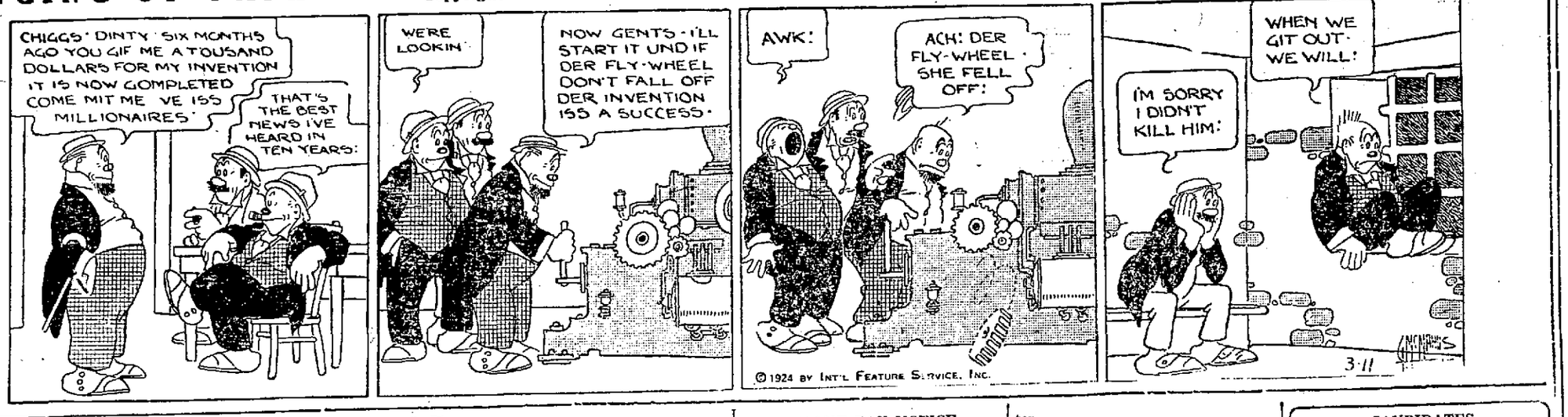
By George McManus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WANTED—Confinement cases by experienced nurse. Best of reference. Phone 557-J. 30A30

LOST AND FOUND—D.

LOST—Eastern Star pin either on night of 4th or 5th. Finder please return to Mrs. Wilford H. Oliphant, 418 E. Milam or call 53. 10D2

LOST—On the streets Monday night, a white-gold wrist watch. Will finder kindly return to Daisy Mays at Dr. Pittman's office. 11D2

LOST—Crescent shaped solid gold ear-ring, about one eight inch in thickness. Lost between 725 East Main and town. Reward offered. Mrs. Harvey Bennett, 725 East Main. Phone 320-W. 10D7

WANTED TO BUY—E

WANT TO BUY—J. K. Hughes Developing Company, E. L. Smith Oil Company, Mexia Heart of Pool Royalty Company, Powell Five Hundred. Jesse McLendon, room 1 McLendon building, Mexia, Texas. 18E30

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FOR RENT—Neat, house on North Kaufman St. Garage, garden spot and chicken park. Apply J. R. Neece Lumber Co. 10K7

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CALLED MEETING KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

There will be a called meeting of Coeur de Lion Commandery Knights Templar tonight at 7:30 for work in the Red Cross and Malta degrees. Candidates and officers are urged to be present promptly on time. Visitors are always welcome.

J. D. ARRINGTON, E. C.

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EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.

North bound—

345	From cut-off	1:47 p. m.
15	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:44 p. m
31	Dallas Ft. Worth	12:50 p. m.
37	Dallas Ft. Worth	5:14 a. m.
17	Dallas Ft. Worth	4:35 a. m.
19	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m.

South bound—

346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m.
16	Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m.
32	From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
38	Austin San nAtonio	12:21 a. m.
18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
20	Houston San Antonio	12:16 a. m.

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North.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

Sumpter School Boys Organize Reading Club

The Sixth and Seventh Grade boys of Sumpter Street School met last Friday at the Public Library for the purpose of organizing a Reading Club. The following officers were elected:

President, Robert Travis.
Vice President, Tom Measles.
Secretary, Walter McDonald.
Parliamentarian, Loyce Hill.
Reporter, Eugene Womack.

The Board of Directors is composed of the officers of the club, Alvin Houser, Mrs. Alderman, Miss Simmonds, and Mrs. Bergeron.

The President appointed the following committee to draw up a Constitution; Miss Simmonds, Tom Measles, Loyce Hill, Elwood Potter, Blake Smith, Tom Randolph, and Charlie Measles.

After the business was disposed of, Mrs. Alderman made a most interesting talk to the boys.

The club adjourned to meet Wednesday morning, March 12th at the library.

Eugene Womack, Reporter

Rebeccas Enjoy Friday's Meeting

The Rebeccas of the Mexia Lodge No. 190 met in regular session Friday night, Mrs. G. W. Hopson, N. G., presided. After a short meeting they adjourned and turned the meeting over to the association at which time plans were discussed for the meeting to be held in Teague to meet in July at which time the children from the home at Corsicana will be secured for the program. After a very spirited meeting they adjourned to meet at Groesbeck Friday, March 28th. There were visitors from Teague, Groesbeck and Kosse. Refreshments of cake, sandwiches and coffee were served. All reported a very enjoyable time and expressed wishes to come back and visit Mexia.

NEW PASTOR FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH INSTALLED SUNDAY

Rev. E. H. Hudson, the new pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was installed Sunday morning by Dr. T. W. Currie of Austin and Rev. M. D. Maxwell of Wortham. Dr. Currie preached the sermon and delivered the charge to the congregation, while Rev. Maxwell delivered the charge to the new pastor. The service was very impressive. Mr. G. E. Mitchell was also installed as elder, he having been ordained in Corsicana some years ago, where he served as elder. Notwithstanding the cold weather a large congregation witnessed the ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gambrell and baby daughter left for their home in Tulsa, Oklahoma, Sunday afternoon, after spending the week end with Mrs Gambrell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Corley. Mr. Gambrell had been attending an Oil Men's Convention in Dallas and came down with his family for a short visit before returning home.

INCOME TAX IN NUTSHELL

WHO?—Single persons who had net income of $1,000 or more or gross income of $5,000 or more, and married couples who had net income of $1,000 or more or gross income of $5,000 or more, and married couples who had net in come of $2,000 or more or gross income of $5,000 or more must file returns.

WHEN?—The filing period is from January 1 to March 15, 1924.

WHERE?—Collector of internal revenue for the district in which the person lives or has his principal place of business.

HOW?—Instructions on Form 1040-A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations.

WHAT?—Four per cent normal tax on the first $4,000 of net income in excess of the personal exemption and credits for dependents. Eight per cent normal tax on balance of net income. Surtax from 1 per cent to 50 per cent on net incomes over $6,000 for the year 1923.

Miss Glynn Mitchell, a student in the Presbyterian college at Milford, spent Sunday in Mexia visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mitchell.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Limestone County, of the 6th day of March, 1924, by the District Clerk, of said Limestone County, for the sum of Seven Hundred Sixty-Two 30-100 ($762.30) Dollars and costs of suit, under a Vendor's Lien, in favor of Wm. M. Rice Institute, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 4190-B and styled Wm M. Rice Institute vs. J. E. Frost, John S. Prince, and F. W. Woodward, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone County, County, Texas, did, on the 8th. day of March 1924, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to wit: Upon Lot No. 5 in Block No. 38, in the City of Mexia, according to the map of said City drawn by C. E. Davis, a copy of which is recorded in Vol. 52, page 621, deed records of Limestone County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of J. E. Frost, John S. Prince and F. W. Woodward, and that on the first Tuesday in April 1924, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door, of Limestone County, in the Town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. E. Frost, John S. Prince and F. W. Woodward.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of March, 1924.

WHIT POPEJOY,
Sheriff, Limestone
County, Texas.
By N. P. HARRIS, Deputy.
March 10-17-21-31

INCOME TAX NOTICE

I am prepared to do your Income-Tax work, night or day, till March 15. S. H. FLAKE, Accountant, Room 4, White Building. Phone 328. 2-15

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS,
City of Mexia,
County of Limestone.

On this the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, convened pursuant to adjournment in the City Hall, E. Watson, Mayor, W. C. Wilson, Commissioner, and J. R. Forrest, Commissioner, being present, and among other business transacted, the following ordinance was passed:

AN ORDINANCE

An ordinance ordering a special election in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 18th day of March, 1924, for the submission of the question, "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER, AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING FROM THE CITY OF MEXIA AT LARGE A CHARTER COMMISSION OF NOT LESS THAN 15 MEMBERS AND DESIGNATING THE PLACE AT WHICH SAID ELECTION IS TO BE HELD AND APPOINTING PRESIDING OFFICERS THEREOF AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY."

WHEREAS, the City of Mexia, Texas, has more than 5,000 actual bona fide inhabitants, and whereas, since its incoropration the City has been operating under the General Statutes of Texas, and without a Charter, and whereas, it will be o the best interest and general welfare of said City to adopt a Charter, and thereby confer upon said city the full powers of local self government, as contemplated and authorized by Article 11, Section 5, Constitution of Texas as amended in 1912, and all laws pursuant thereto, and

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of February, 1924, the following request was made to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, for action:

"We, the undersigned resident citizens of the City of Mexia, Texas, hereby respectfully request the Honorable Mayor and Commissioners to submit to the voters of said city the question whether a commission shall be chosen to frame a charter for said city, said question to be submitted at the first opportune time," signed by W. J. Keeling and 97 others, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, by a unanimous vote of its members deems it advisable to order an election for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said city the question "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER"; and for the purpose of electing 15 members from the City at large to compose such Charter Commission, and

WHEREAS, the next regular municipal election in and for the City of Mexia, cannot and will not be held until the 9th day of April, 1925 which will be more than 90 days after this ordinance shall have been passed, and it being, therefore, impracticable and impossible to hold the election herein provided for at the next regular municipal election,

THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas:

Section 1. That a special election be held Tuesday the 18th day of March 1924, in the City of Mexia, Tex., for the purpose of submitting the following question, to-wit: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER".

Section 2. That at said election also, there shall be elected from amongst the qualified voters of said city at large 15 Commissioners, whose duty it shall be to frame, report and submit such Charter, in case of a majority of the qualified voters at said election shall vote in favor of the proposition, to choose a Commission to frame such Charter.

Section 3. That the following shall be the form of the ballot to be used in determining the questions provided for in the sections 1 and 2 hereof, at said election, to-wit:

"FOR THE CHOOSING OF A COMMISSION TO FRAME A CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS".

"AGAINST THE CHOOSING OF A COMMISSION TO FRAME A CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS."

Provided that if any person or persons shall desire to become a candidate or to nominate any person or persons for candidates for members of the said Commission they shall file such names with the City Secretary of the City of Mexia, Texas, not later than the 14th day of March 1924 at 5 o'clock; and the names so filed shall be printed on said ballot in the appropriate blanks, following the provision for an affirmative vote. And in such case, it shall be proper and sufficient for the voter, voting for said Commission to strike out the names of persons for whom he does not desire to vote, and, it shall be proper also for such voter to add to the list of names which may be on the said ballot the names of other persons for whom he desires to vote, and, in case no name shall be printed on said ballot, as herein provide for, the voter shall write thereon the names of those for whom he desires to vote for as members of such Commission. Provided further, that the failure of any voter to vote for as many as 15 separate persons for members of such Commission shall not invalidate his ballot.

Section 4. That the polling place for holding said election shall be the City Hall in the City of Mexia, Texas, and E. L. Hall shall be the presiding officer to hold said election.

Section 5. That said election shall be held under the provision of Chapter 147, Acts of the Legislature of the State of Texas of 1913, Regular Session; and all persons qualified to vote in said City, under the laws of this State, regulating general elections, shall be allowed to vote.

Section 6. That the manner of holding the said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas, regulating General Elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 7. That notice of said election shall be given by publishing this ordinance under the style: "NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION," in the Official Newspaper of said city, published in said city, for thirty (30) full days prior to the date of said election, and shall serve as legal notice of same.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia, Texas, is at the present time without a Charter, and that the public interest requires a Charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day, and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 11th day of February, 1924.

E. WATSON, Mayor.

Attest:
R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.
(Feb. 12 to March 17 incl)

CANDIDATES
Announcements
1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
For District Clerk—
ELLIS DICKERSON.
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.

TO WHOM THIS CONCERNS:

Effective February 21st, I have sold the Kaufman Street Grocery stock to R. B. Vanneman, and will not be responsible for any debts made by him for the account of that business. I will pay all accounts due against that business up to and including the above date, and collect all accounts due the business up to and including February the 20th.

I wish to also take this opportunity to thank each and every patron for their liberal patronage while in business here, realizing that it was only through such patronage that I have made the success that I have made while in business.

J. P. Dunaway. 2-9

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La Follette May Lead Third Party In Next Election

ST. PAUL, Minn, March 11.—A third party will be in the political field and Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin may lead it, Henry C. Tiegen, secretary to Senator Magnus Johnson of Minnesota, announced today. The decision to enter a third party was made at a conference here of farmer-labor and progressive groups from eight States.

The time, place and method of representation probably will be decide dlate today, Tiegen said.

Whites Donate Fund to Defend Houston Negro

HOUSTON, Texas, March 11.—A collection was being made up here today for a reward for William Brooks, negro breakman, who shot Ed Williams, another negro, when the latter attacked J. M. Davis, street car conductor, with a knife in an argument over a transfer.

Williams died last night from his wounds. Brooks must stand trial for murder although his trial is expected to be only a formality and that he will be released.

TYLER NEGRO TO GO TO ELECTRIC CHAIR

TYLER, Texas, March 11.—Tommy Curry, negro, sentenced to die in the electric chair here yesterday for the murder of his mother, will be taken to Huntsville State penitentiary tonight.

TRAINING CAMP NOTES.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—"Sixty homers for me this season and the batting championship with them," Babe Ruth announced as his ambition when he arrived at the Yankee training camp. "The flu took me down to 218 and I'm not going to tak off any more. I was ten light to sock good list year," he said.

CATALINA ISLAND, Cal.—Pilot Killefer returned his Cubs to headquarters here today.

BRADENTOWN, Fla.—The Card's line-up for the first exhibition game with Brooklyn here today was, Blades, if; Douthit, rf; Hornsby, 2b; Muller, cf; Bell, 3b; Freigau, 1b; Lavan, ss; Vick, c; Haines, p.

MOBILE, Ala.—The Browns shivered through their two hour practice. McManus' arm, injured in the last game of 1923,has healed well, he said, after trying it.

ORLANDO, Fla.—Pete Donohue, Texas pitcher, surprised Jack Hendricks, temporary manager of the Reds Monday in cutting loos with some real pitching. Pete showed dazzling form. The Reds rested today as Pat Moran, their late leader, was buried at Fitchburg, Mass.

CLEARWATER, Fla.—Manager Wilbert Robinson and his Brooklyn Robins journeyed to Bradentown today to engage in their first game of the season against the St. Louis Cards. The Robins will start a team of roogies.

LAKE LAND, Fla.—The Indians had a brisk work out here yesterday. Stan Coveleskie, whose arm went bad last season, was whipping 'em over with the old time zip.

ST. PETERSBURGH, Fla.—Christy Matthewsn, president of the Braves, wired Frank Gibson, young catcher, to report at once or let the club know what is wrong. The Braves will bet into first action of the season Thursday against the St. Louis Cardinals.

AUGUSTA, Ga.—The Tigers squad, after their rest on Sunday missed another workout when cold winds followed heavy rains and kept Ty Cobb's proteges indoors.

SAN ANTONIO.—Rive rookies had the knife dropped on them at the Red Sox training camp. Bill Piercy, one of the regular pitchers, has failed to show up and no one has heard from him.

WINTERHAVEN, Fla.—Bib Falk of the White Sox, rebelled at the decision of Coach Johnny Evers that he was to be given a chance to "come back" as a pitcher.

'ROUND THE WORLD FLYERS SET FOR HOP OFF.

'Round the World Fliers and Major Martin (above).

Under the command of Major Martin, Air Service, U. S. Army, these aviators are all set to hop off on March 15 from Santa Monica, Cal., for a flight around the world. They will use specially constructed Douglass cruisers, which were assembled at Santa Monica. The 'round-the-world flyers, shown in the special fur-lined suits they will wear, are, left to right: Sergeant Ogden, Sergeant A. H. Turner, Sergeant A. S. Hardy, Major Martin, Lieutenant E. K. Nelson, Lieutenant Leigh Wade, Lieutenant L. P. Arnold and Captain Lowell Smith.

MADALENA BEENE.

Madalena Beene, age 21 years, died February 22. She had only been sick one week, having measles. Her home was in the Shiloh community. She leaves father, mother, four sisters besides a host of relatives and friends.

She was very intelligent and sweet an dloved by all who knew her. She was so devoted to her family and loved ones and an inspiration to her companions and oh, how they all miss her in every way.

Although God knoweth best, but we do not understand why we have to give up our loved ones, but should prepare to meet them some day.

All was done that could be to restore her to health again but to no avail.

The family and those who mourn her loss have the sympathy of their many friends and may God bless each and every one and help them to bear the loss of this dear girl.

A FRIEND.

SAWYER.

Lester Eugene Sawyer, age eight months, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sawyer, died at the home of its parents, of pneumonia Sunday morning at 5:00 o'clock. Funeral services were held from the home on Brooks street at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Rev. W. B. Andrews officiating. Burial took place in the city cemetery.

Little Eugen had been sick about three weeks prior to his death.

The John R. Corley Undertaking Company had charge of the funeral arrangements.

The News joins the many friends of the family in extending the hand of sympathy in this sad hour, when the little flower in their home has faded and points them to that eternal shore where the little one is now in the arms of Him who said "Suffer little children to come unto me, for of such, is the Kingdom of Heaven."

The Malays for centuries have domesticated monkeys and have trained them to climb cocanut trees and pick the nuts.

Too Late to Classify

LOST—Elgin wrist watch, initialed G. L. H. Reward for return. Mrs. J. H. Holloway, box 772. 11D2

MME. LE BLANC CONDUCTS LOVE CLINIC.

Georgette Le Blanc's Love Clinic.

Mme. Georgette LeBlanc, for seventeen years the wife of Maurice Maeterlinck, the famous Belgian poet, who divorced her for a younger woman, has opened a love clinic in New York City, and is shown here with two of her patients. She has devised a test which, she says, will determine real love from spurious.

Local News

Vivian Heckman, of Waco, was a Mexia visitor Monday.

G. P. Porter of Kosse was in the city Monday.

Thomas W. Currie was here Sunday fro Austin.

Oscar H. Sanders of Waco was here Monday.

L. L. Kirk was here from Waco Monday.

John H. Burma, of Waxahachie was a Mexia visitor Sunday

B. M. Harrison was here Sunday from Childress.

D. E. Eason of Waco was in the city Sunday.

J. F. Maddox, Oscar Robinson and J. R. Copeland attended the fat stock show in Fort Worth Tuesday.

The day population of the Woolworth building in New York is 14,000.

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